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- 1 AN ACT in relation to taxes.
- 2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,
- 3 represented in the General Assembly:
- 4 Section 5. The Illinois Income Tax Act is amended by
- 5 changing Sections 201, 202, 203, 209, 502, 506, 601.1, 701,
- 6 905, 911, and 1501 as follows:
- 7 (35 ILCS 5/201) (from Ch. 120, par. 2-201)
- 8 Sec. 201. Tax Imposed.
- 9 (a) In general. A tax measured by net income is hereby
- 10 imposed on every individual, corporation, trust and estate
- 11 for each taxable year ending after July 31, 1969 on the
- 12 privilege of earning or receiving income in or as a resident
- of this State. Such tax shall be in addition to all other
- occupation or privilege taxes imposed by this State or by any
- municipal corporation or political subdivision thereof.
- 16 (b) Rates. The tax imposed by subsection (a) of this
- 17 Section shall be determined as follows, except as adjusted by
- 18 subsection (d-1):
- 19 (1) In the case of an individual, trust or estate,
- for taxable years ending prior to July 1, 1989, an amount
- 21 equal to 2 1/2% of the taxpayer's net income for the
- taxable year.
- 23 (2) In the case of an individual, trust or estate,
- for taxable years beginning prior to July 1, 1989 and
- ending after June 30, 1989, an amount equal to the sum of
- 26 (i) 2 1/2% of the taxpayer's net income for the period
- prior to July 1, 1989, as calculated under Section 202.3,
- and (ii) 3% of the taxpayer's net income for the period
- after June 30, 1989, as calculated under Section 202.3.
- 30 (3) In the case of an individual, trust or estate,
- for taxable years beginning after June 30, 1989, an

amount equal to 3% of the taxpayer's net income for the taxable year.

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- 4 (5) (Blank).

- (6) In the case of a corporation, for taxable years ending prior to July 1, 1989, an amount equal to 4% of the taxpayer's net income for the taxable year.
 - (7) In the case of a corporation, for taxable years beginning prior to July 1, 1989 and ending after June 30, 1989, an amount equal to the sum of (i) 4% of the taxpayer's net income for the period prior to July 1, 1989, as calculated under Section 202.3, and (ii) 4.8% of the taxpayer's net income for the period after June 30, 1989, as calculated under Section 202.3.
 - (8) In the case of a corporation, for taxable years beginning after June 30, 1989, an amount equal to 4.8% of the taxpayer's net income for the taxable year.
- Beginning on July 1, 1979 and thereafter, in addition to such income tax, there is also hereby imposed the Personal Property Tax Replacement Income Tax measured by net income on every corporation (including Subchapter S corporations), partnership and trust, for each taxable year ending after June 30, 1979. Such taxes are imposed on the privilege of earning or receiving income in or as a resident of this State. The Personal Property Tax Replacement Income Tax shall be in addition to the income tax imposed by subsections (a) and (b) of this Section and in addition to all other occupation or privilege taxes imposed by this State or by any municipal corporation or political subdivision thereof.
- 31 (d) Additional Personal Property Tax Replacement Income 32 Tax Rates. The personal property tax replacement income tax 33 imposed by this subsection and subsection (c) of this Section 34 in the case of a corporation, other than a Subchapter S

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corporation and except as adjusted by subsection (d-1), shall be an additional amount equal to 2.85% of such taxpayer's net income for the taxable year, except that beginning on January 1, 1981, and thereafter, the rate of 2.85% specified in this subsection shall be reduced to 2.5%, and in the case of a partnership, trust or a Subchapter S corporation shall be an additional amount equal to 1.5% of such taxpayer's net income

(d-1) Rate reduction for certain foreign insurers. the case of a foreign insurer, as defined by Section 35A-5 of the Illinois Insurance Code, whose state or country of domicile imposes on insurers domiciled in Illinois retaliatory tax (excluding any insurer whose premiums from reinsurance assumed are 50% or more of its total insurance premiums as determined under paragraph (2) of subsection (b) of Section 304, except that for purposes determination premiums from reinsurance do not include premiums from inter-affiliate reinsurance arrangements), beginning with taxable years ending on or after December 31, 1999, the sum of the rates of tax imposed by subsections and (d) shall be reduced (but not increased) to the rate at which the total amount of tax imposed under this Act, net of all credits allowed under this Act, shall equal (i) the total amount of tax that would be imposed on the foreign insurer's net income allocable to Illinois for the taxable year by such foreign insurer's state or country of domicile if that net income were subject to all income taxes and taxes measured by net income imposed by such foreign insurer's state or country of domicile, net of all credits allowed or (ii) a rate of zero if no such tax is imposed on such income by the foreign insurer's state of domicile. For the purposes of this subsection (d-1), an inter-affiliate includes a mutual insurer under common management.

(1) For the purposes of subsection (d-1), in no

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- (A) the total amount of tax imposed on such foreign insurer under this Act for a taxable year, net of all credits allowed under this Act, plus
- (B) the privilege tax imposed by Section 409 of the Illinois Insurance Code, the fire insurance company tax imposed by Section 12 of the Fire Investigation Act, and the fire department taxes imposed under Section 11-10-1 of the Illinois Municipal Code,
- equals 1.25% of the net taxable premiums written for the taxable year, as described by subsection (1) of Section 409 of the Illinois Insurance Code. This paragraph will in no event increase the rates imposed under subsections (b) and (d).
- (2) Any reduction in the rates of tax imposed by this subsection shall be applied first against the rates imposed by subsection (b) and only after the tax imposed by subsection (a) net of all credits allowed under this Section other than the credit allowed under subsection (i) has been reduced to zero, against the rates imposed by subsection (d).
- 25 This subsection (d-1) is exempt from the provisions of 26 Section 250.
- 27 (e) Investment credit. A taxpayer shall be allowed a 28 credit against the Personal Property Tax Replacement Income 29 Tax for investment in qualified property.
- 30 (1) A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit equal to
 31 .5% of the basis of qualified property placed in service
 32 during the taxable year, provided such property is placed
 33 in service on or after July 1, 1984. There shall be
 34 allowed an additional credit equal to .5% of the basis of

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qualified property placed in service during the taxable year, provided such property is placed in service on or after July 1, 1986, and the taxpayer's base employment within Illinois has increased by 1% or more over the preceding year as determined by the taxpayer's employment records filed with the Illinois Department of Employment Taxpayers who are new to Illinois shall be Security. deemed to have met the 1% growth in base employment for the first year in which they file employment records with Illinois Department of Employment Security. provisions added to this Section by Public Act 85-1200 (and restored by Public Act 87-895) shall be construed as declaratory of existing law and not as a new enactment. If, in any year, the increase in base employment within Illinois over the preceding year is less than 1%, the additional credit shall be limited to that percentage times a fraction, the numerator of which is .5% and the denominator of which is 1%, but shall not exceed .5%. The investment credit shall not be allowed to the extent that it would reduce a taxpayer's liability in any tax year below zero, nor may any credit for qualified property be allowed for any year other than the year in which the property was placed in service in Illinois. For tax years ending on or after December 31, 1987, and on or before December 31, 1988, the credit shall be allowed for the tax year in which the property is placed in service, or, if the amount of the credit exceeds the tax liability for that year, whether it exceeds the original liability or the liability as later amended, such excess may be carried forward and applied to the tax liability of the 5 taxable years following the excess credit years if the taxpayer (i) makes investments which cause the creation of a minimum of 2,000 full-time equivalent jobs in Illinois, (ii) is located in enterprise an zone

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established pursuant to the Illinois Enterprise Zone Act and (iii) is certified by the Department of Commerce and Community Affairs as complying with the requirements specified in clause (i) and (ii) by July 1, 1986. Department of Commerce and Community Affairs shall notify the Department of Revenue of all such certifications immediately. For tax years ending after December 31, 1988, the credit shall be allowed for the tax year in which the property is placed in service, or, amount of the credit exceeds the tax liability for that year, whether it exceeds the original liability or the liability as later amended, such excess may be carried forward and applied to the tax liability of the 5 taxable years following the excess credit years. The credit shall be applied to the earliest year for which there is liability. If there is credit from more than one tax year that is available to offset a liability, earlier credit shall be applied first.

- (2) The term "qualified property" means property which:
 - (A) is tangible, whether new or used, including buildings and structural components of buildings and signs that are real property, but not including land or improvements to real property that are not a structural component of a building such as landscaping, sewer lines, local access roads, fencing, parking lots, and other appurtenances;
 - (B) is depreciable pursuant to Section 167 of the Internal Revenue Code, except that "3-year property" as defined in Section 168(c)(2)(A) of that Code is not eligible for the credit provided by this subsection (e);
 - (C) is acquired by purchase as defined in Section 179(d) of the Internal Revenue Code;

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- (E) has not previously been used in Illinois in such a manner and by such a person as would qualify for the credit provided by this subsection(e) or subsection (f).
- (3) For purposes of this subsection (e), "manufacturing" means the material staging and production of tangible personal property by procedures commonly regarded as manufacturing, processing, fabrication, or assembling which changes some existing material into new shapes, new qualities, or new combinations. For purposes of this subsection (e) the term "mining" shall have the same meaning as the term "mining" in Section 613(c) of the Internal Revenue Code. For purposes of this subsection (e), the term "retailing" means the sale of tangible personal property or services rendered in conjunction with the sale of tangible consumer goods or commodities.
- (4) The basis of qualified property shall be the basis used to compute the depreciation deduction for federal income tax purposes.
- (5) If the basis of the property for federal income tax depreciation purposes is increased after it has been placed in service in Illinois by the taxpayer, the amount of such increase shall be deemed property placed in service on the date of such increase in basis.
- (6) The term "placed in service" shall have the same meaning as under Section 46 of the Internal Revenue Code.
- (7) If during any taxable year, any property ceases to be qualified property in the hands of the taxpayer within 48 months after being placed in service, or the

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situs of any qualified property is moved outside Illinois within 48 months after being placed in service, the Personal Property Tax Replacement Income Tax for such taxable year shall be increased. Such increase shall be determined by (i) recomputing the investment credit which would have been allowed for the year in which credit for such property was originally allowed by eliminating such property from such computation and, (ii) subtracting such recomputed credit from the amount of credit previously allowed. For the purposes of this paragraph (7), a reduction of the basis of qualified property resulting from a redetermination of the purchase price shall be deemed a disposition of qualified property to the extent of such reduction.

- (8) Unless the investment credit is extended by law, the basis of qualified property shall not include costs incurred after December 31, 2003, except for costs incurred pursuant to a binding contract entered into on or before December 31, 2003.
- (9) Each taxable year ending before December 31, 2000, a partnership may elect to pass through to its partners the credits to which the partnership is entitled under this subsection (e) for the taxable year. partner may use the credit allocated to him or her under this paragraph only against the tax imposed subsections (c) and (d) of this Section. If the partnership makes that election, those credits shall be allocated among the partners in the partnership accordance with the rules set forth in Section 704(b) of the Internal Revenue Code, and the rules promulgated under that Section, and the allocated amount of the credits shall be allowed to the partners for that taxable year. The partnership shall make this election on its Personal Property Tax Replacement Income Tax return for

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that taxable year. The election to pass through the credits shall be irrevocable.

For taxable years ending on or after December 31, 2000, a partner that qualifies its partnership for a subtraction under subparagraph (I) of paragraph (2) of subsection (d) of Section 203 or a shareholder that qualifies a Subchapter S corporation for a subtraction under subparagraph (S) of paragraph (2) of subsection (b) of Section 203 shall be allowed a credit under this subsection (e) equal to its share of the credit earned under this subsection (e) during the taxable year by the partnership or Subchapter S corporation, determined in accordance with the determination of income and distributive share of income under Sections 702 and 704 and Subchapter S of the Internal Revenue Code. paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 250.

(f) Investment credit; Enterprise Zone.

A taxpayer shall be allowed a credit against (1) the tax imposed by subsections (a) and (b) of this Section for investment in qualified property which is placed in service in an Enterprise Zone created pursuant to the Illinois Enterprise Zone Act. For partners, shareholders of Subchapter S corporations, and owners of limited liability companies, if the liability company is treated as a partnership for purposes of federal and State income taxation, there shall be allowed a credit under this subsection (f) to be determined in accordance with the determination of income and distributive share of income under Sections 702 and 704 and Subchapter S of the Internal Revenue Code. The credit shall be .5% of the basis for such property. The credit shall be available only in the taxable year in which the property is placed in service in the Enterprise Zone and shall not allowed to the extent that it would reduce a be

taxpayer's liability for the tax imposed by subsections
(a) and (b) of this Section to below zero. For tax years
ending on or after December 31, 1985, the credit shall be
allowed for the tax year in which the property is placed
in service, or, if the amount of the credit exceeds the
tax liability for that year, whether it exceeds the
original liability or the liability as later amended,
such excess may be carried forward and applied to the tax
liability of the 5 taxable years following the excess
credit year. The credit shall be applied to the earliest
year for which there is a liability. If there is credit
from more than one tax year that is available to offset a
liability, the credit accruing first in time shall be
applied first.

- (2) The term qualified property means property which:
 - (A) is tangible, whether new or used, including buildings and structural components of buildings;
 - (B) is depreciable pursuant to Section 167 of the Internal Revenue Code, except that "3-year property" as defined in Section 168(c)(2)(A) of that Code is not eligible for the credit provided by this subsection (f);
 - (C) is acquired by purchase as defined in Section 179(d) of the Internal Revenue Code;
 - (D) is used in the Enterprise Zone by the taxpayer; and
 - (E) has not been previously used in Illinois in such a manner and by such a person as would qualify for the credit provided by this subsection (f) or subsection (e).
- (3) The basis of qualified property shall be the basis used to compute the depreciation deduction for

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- (4) If the basis of the property for federal income tax depreciation purposes is increased after it has been placed in service in the Enterprise Zone by the taxpayer, the amount of such increase shall be deemed property placed in service on the date of such increase in basis.
- (5) The term "placed in service" shall have the same meaning as under Section 46 of the Internal Revenue Code.
- If during any taxable year, any property ceases to be qualified property in the hands of the taxpayer within 48 months after being placed in service, or the situs of any qualified property is moved outside the Enterprise Zone within 48 months after being placed in service, the tax imposed under subsections (a) and (b) of this Section for such taxable year shall be increased. Such increase shall be determined by (i) recomputing the investment credit which would have been allowed for the year in which credit for such property was originally allowed by eliminating such property from such computation, and (ii) subtracting such recomputed credit from the amount of credit previously allowed. purposes of this paragraph (6), a reduction of the basis of qualified property resulting from a redetermination of the purchase price shall be deemed a disposition of qualified property to the extent of such reduction.
- (g) Jobs Tax Credit; Enterprise Zone and Foreign Trade Zone or Sub-Zone.
 - (1) A taxpayer conducting a trade or business in an enterprise zone or a High Impact Business designated by the Department of Commerce and Community Affairs conducting a trade or business in a federally designated Foreign Trade Zone or Sub-Zone shall be allowed a credit against the tax imposed by subsections (a) and (b) of

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1	this Section in the amount of \$500 per eligible employee
2	hired to work in the zone during the taxable year.
3	(2) To qualify for the credit:
4	(A) the taxpayer must hire 5 or more eligible
5	employees to work in an enterprise zone or federally
6	designated Foreign Trade Zone or Sub-Zone during the
7	taxable year;
8	(B) the taxpayer's total employment within the
9	enterprise zone or federally designated Foreign
10	Trade Zone or Sub-Zone must increase by 5 or more
11	full-time employees beyond the total employed in
12	that zone at the end of the previous tax year for
13	which a jobs tax credit under this Section was
14	taken, or beyond the total employed by the taxpayer
15	as of December 31, 1985, whichever is later; and
16	(C) the eligible employees must be employed
17	180 consecutive days in order to be deemed hired for
18	purposes of this subsection.
19	(3) An "eligible employee" means an employee who
20	is:
21	(A) Certified by the Department of Commerce
22	and Community Affairs as "eligible for services"
23	pursuant to regulations promulgated in accordance
24	with Title II of the Job Training Partnership Act,
25	Training Services for the Disadvantaged or Title III
26	of the Job Training Partnership Act, Employment and
27	Training Assistance for Dislocated Workers Program.
28	(B) Hired after the enterprise zone or
29	federally designated Foreign Trade Zone or Sub-Zone
30	was designated or the trade or business was located
31	in that zone, whichever is later.
32	(C) Employed in the enterprise zone or Foreign
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Trade Zone or Sub-Zone if his services are rendered there or it is the base of operations for the services performed.

- (D) A full-time employee working 30 or more hours per week.
- (4) For tax years ending on or after December 31, 1985 and prior to December 31, 1988, the credit shall be allowed for the tax year in which the eligible employees are hired. For tax years ending on or after December 31, 1988, the credit shall be allowed for the tax year immediately following the tax year in which the eligible employees are hired. If the amount of the credit exceeds the tax liability for that year, whether it exceeds the original liability or the liability as later amended, such excess may be carried forward and applied to the tax liability of the 5 taxable years following the excess credit year. The credit shall be applied to the earliest year for which there is a liability. If there is credit from more than one tax year that is available to offset a liability, earlier credit shall be applied first.
- (5) The Department of Revenue shall promulgate such rules and regulations as may be deemed necessary to carry out the purposes of this subsection (g).
- (6) The credit shall be available for eligible employees hired on or after January 1, 1986.
 - (h) Investment credit; High Impact Business.
- (1) Subject to subsections (b) and (b-5) of Section 5.5 of the Illinois Enterprise Zone Act, a taxpayer shall be allowed a credit against the tax imposed by subsections (a) and (b) of this Section for investment in qualified property which is placed in service by a Department of Commerce and Community Affairs designated High Impact Business. The credit shall be .5% of the basis for such property. The credit shall not be

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available (i) until the minimum investments in qualified property set forth in subdivision (a)(3)(A) of Section 5.5 of the Illinois Enterprise Zone Act have been satisfied or (ii) until the time authorized in subsection (b-5) of the Illinois Enterprise Zone Act for entities designated as High Impact Businesses under subdivisions (a)(3)(B), (a)(3)(C), and (a)(3)(D) of Section 5.5 of the Illinois Enterprise Zone Act, and shall not be allowed to the extent that it would reduce a taxpayer's liability for the tax imposed by subsections (a) and (b) of this Section to below zero. The credit applicable to such investments shall be taken in the taxable year in which such investments have been completed. The credit for additional investments beyond the minimum investment by a designated high impact business authorized under subdivision (a)(3)(A) of Section 5.5 of the Illinois Enterprise Zone Act shall be available only in the taxable year in which the property is placed in service and shall not be allowed to the extent that it would reduce a taxpayer's liability for the tax imposed by subsections (a) and (b) of this Section to below zero. For tax years ending on or after December 31, 1987, the credit shall be allowed for the tax year in which the property is placed in service, or, if the amount of credit exceeds the tax liability for that year, whether it exceeds the original liability or the liability as later amended, such excess may be carried forward and applied to the tax liability of the 5 taxable years following the excess credit year. The credit shall be applied to the earliest year for which there is a If there is credit from more than one tax liability. year that is available to offset a liability, the credit accruing first in time shall be applied first.

Changes made in this subdivision (h)(1) by Public

1	Act 88-670 restore changes made by Public Act 85-1182 and
2	reflect existing law.
3	(2) The term qualified property means property
4	which:
5	(A) is tangible, whether new or used,
6	including buildings and structural components of
7	buildings;
8	(B) is depreciable pursuant to Section 167 of
9	the Internal Revenue Code, except that "3-year
10	property" as defined in Section 168(c)(2)(A) of that
11	Code is not eligible for the credit provided by this
12	subsection (h);
13	(C) is acquired by purchase as defined in
14	Section 179(d) of the Internal Revenue Code; and
15	(D) is not eligible for the Enterprise Zone
16	Investment Credit provided by subsection (f) of this
17	Section.
18	(3) The basis of qualified property shall be the
19	basis used to compute the depreciation deduction for
20	federal income tax purposes.
21	(4) If the basis of the property for federal income
22	tax depreciation purposes is increased after it has been
23	placed in service in a federally designated Foreign Trade
24	Zone or Sub-Zone located in Illinois by the taxpayer, the
25	amount of such increase shall be deemed property placed
26	in service on the date of such increase in basis.
27	(5) The term "placed in service" shall have the
28	same meaning as under Section 46 of the Internal Revenue
29	Code.
30	(6) If during any taxable year ending on or before
31	December 31, 1996, any property ceases to be qualified
32	property in the hands of the taxpayer within 48 months
33	after being placed in service, or the situs of any

qualified property is moved outside Illinois within 48

months after being placed in service, the tax imposed under subsections (a) and (b) of this Section for such taxable year shall be increased. Such increase shall be determined by (i) recomputing the investment credit which would have been allowed for the year in which credit for such property was originally allowed by eliminating such property from such computation, and (ii) subtracting such recomputed credit from the amount of credit previously allowed. For the purposes of this paragraph (6), a reduction of the basis of qualified property resulting from a redetermination of the purchase price shall be deemed a disposition of qualified property to the extent of such reduction.

- (7) Beginning with tax years ending after December 31, 1996, if a taxpayer qualifies for the credit under this subsection (h) and thereby is granted a tax abatement and the taxpayer relocates its entire facility in violation of the explicit terms and length of the contract under Section 18-183 of the Property Tax Code, the tax imposed under subsections (a) and (b) of this Section shall be increased for the taxable year in which the taxpayer relocated its facility by an amount equal to the amount of credit received by the taxpayer under this subsection (h).
- (i) Credit for Personal Property Tax Replacement Income

 Tax. A credit shall be allowed against the tax imposed by subsections (a) and (b) of this Section for the tax imposed by subsections (c) and (d) of this Section. This credit shall be computed by multiplying the tax imposed by subsections (c) and (d) of this Section by a fraction, the numerator of which is base income allocable to Illinois and the denominator of which is Illinois base income, and further multiplying the product by the tax rate imposed by subsections (a) and (b) of this Section.

Any credit earned on or after December 31, 1986 under this subsection which is unused in the year the credit is computed because it exceeds the tax liability imposed by subsections (a) and (b) for that year (whether it exceeds the original liability or the liability as later amended) may be carried forward and applied to the tax liability imposed by subsections (a) and (b) of the 5 taxable years following the excess credit year. This credit shall be applied first to the earliest year for which there is a liability. If there is a credit under this subsection from more than one tax year that is available to offset a liability the earliest credit arising under this subsection shall be applied first.

If, during any taxable year ending on or after December 31, 1986, the tax imposed by subsections (c) and (d) of this Section for which a taxpayer has claimed a credit under this subsection (i) is reduced, the amount of credit for such tax shall also be reduced. Such reduction shall be determined by recomputing the credit to take into account the reduced tax imposed by <u>subsections</u> subsection (c) and (d). If any portion of the reduced amount of credit has been carried to a different taxable year, an amended return shall be filed for such taxable year to reduce the amount of credit claimed.

Training expense credit. Beginning with tax years ending on or after December 31, 1986, a taxpayer shall be allowed a credit against the tax imposed by <u>subsections</u> subsection (a) and (b) under this Section for all amounts paid or accrued, on behalf of all persons employed by the taxpayer in Illinois or Illinois residents employed outside of Illinois by a taxpayer, for educational or vocational in semi-technical or technical fields semi-skilled or skilled fields, which were deducted from gross income in the computation of taxable income. The credit against the tax imposed by subsections (a) and (b) shall be 1.6% of such training expenses. For partners,

- 1 shareholders of subchapter S corporations, and owners of
- 2 limited liability companies, if the liability company is
- 3 treated as a partnership for purposes of federal and State
- 4 income taxation, there shall be allowed a credit under this
- 5 subsection (j) to be determined in accordance with the
- 6 determination of income and distributive share of income
- 7 under Sections 702 and 704 and subchapter S of the Internal
- 8 Revenue Code.
- 9 Any credit allowed under this subsection which is unused
- in the year the credit is earned may be carried forward to
- 11 each of the 5 taxable years following the year for which the
- 12 credit is first computed until it is used. This credit shall
- 13 be applied first to the earliest year for which there is a
- 14 liability. If there is a credit under this subsection from
- 15 more than one tax year that is available to offset a
- 16 liability the earliest credit arising under this subsection
- 17 shall be applied first.
- 18 (k) Research and development credit.
- 19 Beginning with tax years ending after July 1, 1990, a
- 20 taxpayer shall be allowed a credit against the tax imposed by
- 21 subsections (a) and (b) of this Section for increasing
- 22 research activities in this State. The credit allowed
- against the tax imposed by subsections (a) and (b) shall be
- 24 equal to 6 1/2% of the qualifying expenditures for increasing
- 25 research activities in this State. For partners,
- 26 shareholders of subchapter S corporations, and owners of
- 27 limited liability companies, if the liability company is
- 28 treated as a partnership for purposes of federal and State
- income taxation, there shall be allowed a credit under this
- 30 subsection to be determined in accordance with the
- 31 determination of income and distributive share of income
- 32 under Sections 702 and 704 and subchapter S of the Internal
- 33 Revenue Code.
- 34 For purposes of this subsection, "qualifying

expenditures" means the qualifying expenditures as defined for the federal credit for increasing research activities which would be allowable under Section 41 of the Internal Revenue Code and which are conducted in this "qualifying expenditures for increasing research activities in this State" means the excess of qualifying expenditures for the taxable year in which incurred over qualifying expenditures for the base period, "qualifying expenditures for the base period" means the average of the qualifying expenditures for each year in the base period, and "base period" means the 3 taxable years immediately preceding the taxable year for which the determination is being made.

Any credit in excess of the tax liability for the taxable year may be carried forward. A taxpayer may elect to have the unused credit shown on its final completed return carried over as a credit against the tax liability for the following 5 taxable years or until it has been fully used, whichever occurs first.

If an unused credit is carried forward to a given year from 2 or more earlier years, that credit arising in the earliest year will be applied first against the tax liability for the given year. If a tax liability for the given year still remains, the credit from the next earliest year will then be applied, and so on, until all credits have been used or no tax liability for the given year remains. Any remaining unused credit or credits then will be carried forward to the next following year in which a tax liability is incurred, except that no credit can be carried forward to a year which is more than 5 years after the year in which the expense for which the credit is given was incurred.

Unless extended by law, the credit shall not include costs incurred after December 31, 2004, except for costs incurred pursuant to a binding contract entered into on or before December 31, 2004.

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No inference shall be drawn from this amendatory Act of the 91st General Assembly in construing this Section for taxable years beginning before January 1, 1999.

(1) Environmental Remediation Tax Credit.

(i) For tax years ending after December 31, 1997 and on or before December 31, 2001, a taxpayer shall be allowed a credit against the tax imposed by subsections and (b) of this Section for certain amounts paid for unreimbursed eligible remediation costs, as specified in this subsection. For purposes of this Section, "unreimbursed eligible remediation costs" means costs approved by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency ("Agency") under Section 58.14 of the Environmental Protection Act that were paid in performing environmental remediation at a site for which a No Further Remediation Letter was issued by the Agency and recorded under Section 58.10 of the Environmental Protection Act. credit must be claimed for the taxable year in which Agency approval of the eligible remediation costs is granted. The credit is not available to any taxpayer if the taxpayer or any related party caused or contributed to, in any material respect, a release of regulated substances on, in, or under the site that was identified and addressed by the remedial action pursuant to the Site Remediation Program of the Environmental Protection Act. After the Pollution Control Board rules are adopted pursuant to the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act for the administration and enforcement of Section 58.9 of the Environmental Protection Act, determinations as to credit availability for purposes of this Section shall be made consistent with those rules. For purposes of this Section, "taxpayer" includes a person whose tax attributes the taxpayer has succeeded to under Section 381 of the Internal Revenue Code and "related party"

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includes the persons disallowed a deduction for losses by paragraphs (b), (c), and (f)(1) of Section 267 of the Internal Revenue Code by virtue of being a related taxpayer, as well as any of its partners. The credit allowed against the tax imposed by subsections (a) and shall be equal to 25% of the unreimbursed eligible remediation costs in excess of \$100,000 per site, except that the \$100,000 threshold shall not apply to any site contained in an enterprise zone as determined by the Department of Commerce and Community Affairs. The total credit allowed shall not exceed \$40,000 per year with a maximum total of \$150,000 per site. For partners and shareholders of subchapter S corporations, there shall be allowed a credit under this subsection to be determined in accordance with the determination of income and distributive share of income under Sections 702 and 704 and subchapter S of the Internal Revenue Code.

(ii) A credit allowed under this subsection that is unused in the year the credit is earned may be carried forward to each of the 5 taxable years following the year for which the credit is first earned until it is used. The term "unused credit" does not include any amounts of unreimbursed eligible remediation costs in excess of the maximum credit per site authorized under paragraph (i). This credit shall be applied first to the earliest year for which there is a liability. If there is a credit under this subsection from more than one tax year that is available to offset a liability, the earliest credit arising under this subsection shall be applied first. credit allowed under this subsection may be sold to a buyer as part of a sale of all or part of the remediation site for which the credit was granted. The purchaser of a remediation site and the tax credit shall succeed to the unused credit and remaining carry-forward period of

the seller. To perfect the transfer, the assignor shall record the transfer in the chain of title for the site and provide written notice to the Director of the Illinois Department of Revenue of the assignor's intent to sell the remediation site and the amount of the tax credit to be transferred as a portion of the sale. In no event may a credit be transferred to any taxpayer if the taxpayer or a related party would not be eligible under the provisions of subsection (i).

- (iii) For purposes of this Section, the term "site" shall have the same meaning as under Section 58.2 of the Environmental Protection Act.
- 13 (m) Education expense credit.

Beginning with tax years ending after December 31, 1999, a taxpayer who is the custodian of one or more qualifying pupils shall be allowed a credit against the tax imposed by subsections (a) and (b) of this Section for qualified education expenses incurred on behalf of the qualifying pupils. The credit shall be equal to 25% of qualified education expenses, but in no event may the total credit under this subsection Section claimed by a family that is the custodian of qualifying pupils exceed \$500. In no event shall a credit under this subsection reduce the taxpayer's liability under this Act to less than zero. This subsection is exempt from the provisions of Section 250 of this Act.

For purposes of this subsection:

"Qualifying pupils" means individuals who (i) are residents of the State of Illinois, (ii) are under the age of 21 at the close of the school year for which a credit is sought, and (iii) during the school year for which a credit is sought were full-time pupils enrolled in a kindergarten through twelfth grade education program at any school, as defined in this subsection.

34 "Qualified education expense" means the amount incurred

- on behalf of a qualifying pupil in excess of \$250 for
- 2 tuition, book fees, and lab fees at the school in which the
- 3 pupil is enrolled during the regular school year.
- 4 "School" means any public or nonpublic elementary or
- 5 secondary school in Illinois that is in compliance with Title
- 6 VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and attendance at which
- 7 satisfies the requirements of Section 26-1 of the School
- 8 Code, except that nothing shall be construed to require a
- 9 child to attend any particular public or nonpublic school to
- 10 qualify for the credit under this Section.
- "Custodian" means, with respect to qualifying pupils, an
- 12 Illinois resident who is a parent, the parents, a legal
- guardian, or the legal guardians of the qualifying pupils.
- 14 (Source: P.A. 91-9, eff. 1-1-00; 91-357, eff. 7-29-99;
- 15 91-643, eff. 8-20-99; 91-644, eff. 8-20-99; 91-860, eff.
- 16 6-22-00; 91-913, eff. 1-1-01; 92-12, eff. 7-1-01; 92-16, eff.
- 17 6-28-01; revised 12-3-01.)
- 18 (35 ILCS 5/202) (from Ch. 120, par. 2-202)
- 19 Sec. 202. Net Income Defined. In general. For purposes of
- 20 this Act, a taxpayer's net income for a taxable year shall be
- 21 that portion of his base income for such year except-money
- 22 and-other-benefits,-other-than-salary,-received-by--a--driver
- in--a-ridesharing-arrangement-using-a-motor-vehicle, which is
- 24 allocable to this State under the provisions of Article 3,
- less the standard exemption allowed by Section 204 and the
- deduction allowed by Section 207.
- 27 (Source: P.A. 85-731.)
- 28 (35 ILCS 5/203) (from Ch. 120, par. 2-203)
- 29 Sec. 203. Base income defined.
- 30 (a) Individuals.
- 31 (1) In general. In the case of an individual, base
- income means an amount equal to the taxpayer's adjusted

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gross income for the taxable year as modified by paragraph (2).

- (2) Modifications. The adjusted gross income referred to in paragraph (1) shall be modified by adding thereto the sum of the following amounts:
 - (A) An amount equal to all amounts paid or accrued to the taxpayer as interest or dividends during the taxable year to the extent excluded from gross income in the computation of adjusted gross income, except stock dividends of qualified public utilities described in Section 305(e) of the Internal Revenue Code;
 - (B) An amount equal to the amount of tax imposed by this Act to the extent deducted from gross income in the computation of adjusted gross income for the taxable year;
 - during the taxable year as a recovery or refund of real property taxes paid with respect to the taxpayer's principal residence under the Revenue Act of 1939 and for which a deduction was previously taken under subparagraph (L) of this paragraph (2) prior to July 1, 1991, the retrospective application date of Article 4 of Public Act 87-17. In the case of multi-unit or multi-use structures and farm dwellings, the taxes on the taxpayer's principal residence shall be that portion of the total taxes for the entire property which is attributable to such principal residence;
 - (D) An amount equal to the amount of the capital gain deduction allowable under the Internal Revenue Code, to the extent deducted from gross income in the computation of adjusted gross income;
 - (D-5) An amount, to the extent not included in

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adjusted gross income, equal to the amount of money withdrawn by the taxpayer in the taxable year from a medical care savings account and the interest earned on the account in the taxable year of a withdrawal pursuant to subsection (b) of Section 20 of the Medical Care Savings Account Act or subsection (b) of Section 20 of the Medical Care Savings Account Act of 2000; and

(D-10) For taxable years ending after December 31, 1997, an amount equal to any eligible remediation costs that the individual deducted in computing adjusted gross income and for which the individual claims a credit under subsection (1) of Section 201;

and by deducting from the total so obtained the sum of the following amounts:

(E) For taxable years ending before December 31, 2001, any amount included in such total respect of any compensation (including but not limited to any compensation paid or accrued to a serviceman while a prisoner of war or missing in action) paid to a resident by reason of being on active duty in the Armed Forces of the United States and in respect of any compensation paid or accrued to a resident who as a governmental employee was a prisoner of war or missing in action, and in respect of any compensation paid to a resident in 1971 or thereafter for annual training performed pursuant to Sections 502 and 503, Title 32, United States Code as a member of the Illinois National Guard. For taxable years ending on or after December 31, 2001, any amount included in such total in respect of any compensation (including but not limited to any compensation paid or accrued to a serviceman while a

1 prisoner of war or missing in action) paid to a resident by reason of being a member of 2 component of the Armed Forces of the United States 3 4 and in respect of any compensation paid or accrued 5 to a resident who as a governmental employee was a prisoner of war or missing in action, and in respect 6 7 of any compensation paid to a resident in 2001 or 8 thereafter by reason of being a member of the 9 Illinois National Guard. The provisions of this amendatory Act of the 92nd General Assembly are 10 11 exempt from the provisions of Section 250;

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- (F) An amount equal to all amounts included in such total pursuant to the provisions of Sections 402(a), 402(c), 403(a), 403(b), 406(a), 407(a), and 408 of the Internal Revenue Code, or included in such total as distributions under the provisions of any retirement or disability plan for employees of any governmental agency or unit, or retirement payments to retired partners, which payments are excluded in computing net earnings from self employment by Section 1402 of the Internal Revenue Code and regulations adopted pursuant thereto;
 - (G) The valuation limitation amount;
- (H) An amount equal to the amount of any tax imposed by this Act which was refunded to the taxpayer and included in such total for the taxable year;
- (I) An amount equal to all amounts included in such total pursuant to the provisions of Section 111 of the Internal Revenue Code as a recovery of items previously deducted from adjusted gross income in the computation of taxable income;
- (J) An amount equal to those dividends included in such total which were paid by a

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corporation which conducts business operations in an
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of its operations in an Enterprise Zone or zones;

- (K) An amount equal to those dividends included in such total that were paid by a corporation that conducts business operations in a federally designated Foreign Trade Zone or Sub-Zone and that is designated a High Impact Business located in Illinois; provided that dividends eligible for the deduction provided in subparagraph (J) of paragraph (2) of this subsection shall not be eligible for the deduction provided under this subparagraph (K);
- (L) For taxable years ending after December 31, 1983, an amount equal to all social security benefits and railroad retirement benefits included in such total pursuant to Sections 72(r) and 86 of the Internal Revenue Code;
- (M) With the exception of any amounts subtracted under subparagraph (N), an amount equal to the sum of all amounts disallowed as deductions by (i) Sections 171(a) (2), and 265(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as now or hereafter amended, and all amounts of expenses allocable to interest and disallowed as deductions by Section 265(1) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as now or hereafter amended; and (ii) for taxable years ending on or after August 13, 1999, Sections 265, 280C, and 832(b)(5)(B)(i) of the 171(a)(2), Internal Revenue Code; the provisions of this subparagraph are exempt from the provisions of Section 250;
 - (N) An amount equal to all amounts included in

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1	such total which are exempt from taxation by this
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3	Constitution or by reason of the Constitution,
4	treaties or statutes of the United States; provided
5	that, in the case of any statute of this State that
6	exempts income derived from bonds or other
7	obligations from the tax imposed under this Act, the
8	amount exempted shall be the interest net of bond
9	premium amortization;
0	(O) An amount agual to any contribution made

- (O) An amount equal to any contribution made to a job training project established pursuant to the Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment Act;
- (P) An amount equal to the amount of the deduction used to compute the federal income tax credit for restoration of substantial amounts held under claim of right for the taxable year pursuant to Section 1341 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986;
- (Q) An amount equal to any amounts included in such total, received by the taxpayer as an acceleration in the payment of life, endowment or annuity benefits in advance of the time they would otherwise be payable as an indemnity for a terminal illness;
- (R) An amount equal to the amount of any federal or State bonus paid to veterans of the Persian Gulf War;
- (S) An amount, to the extent included in adjusted gross income, equal to the amount of a contribution made in the taxable year on behalf of the taxpayer to a medical care savings account established under the Medical Care Savings Account Act or the Medical Care Savings Account Act of 2000 to the extent the contribution is accepted by the

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account administrator as provided in that Act;

(T) An amount, to the extent included in adjusted gross income, equal to the amount of interest earned in the taxable year on a medical care savings account established under the Medical Care Savings Account Act or the Medical Care Savings Account Act of 2000 on behalf of the taxpayer, other than interest added pursuant to item (D-5) of this paragraph (2);

- (U) For one taxable year beginning on or after January 1, 1994, an amount equal to the total amount of tax imposed and paid under subsections (a) and (b) of Section 201 of this Act on grant amounts received by the taxpayer under the Nursing Home Grant Assistance Act during the taxpayer's taxable years 1992 and 1993;
- (V) Beginning with tax years ending on or after December 31, 1995 and ending with tax years ending on or before December 31, 2004, an amount equal to the amount paid by a taxpayer who is a self-employed taxpayer, a partner of a partnership, or a shareholder in a Subchapter S corporation for health insurance or long-term care insurance for that taxpayer or that taxpayer's spouse dependents, to the extent that the amount paid for that health insurance or long-term care insurance may be deducted under Section 213 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, has not been deducted on the federal income tax return of the taxpayer, and does not exceed the taxable income attributable to that taxpayer's income, self-employment income, or Subchapter S corporation income; except that no deduction shall be allowed under this item (V) if the taxpayer is eligible to participate in any

health insurance or long-term care insurance plan of an employer of the taxpayer or the taxpayer's spouse. The amount of the health insurance and long-term care insurance subtracted under this item (V) shall be determined by multiplying total health insurance and long-term care insurance premiums paid by the taxpayer times a number that represents the fractional percentage of eligible medical expenses under Section 213 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 not actually deducted on the taxpayer's federal income tax return;

- (W) For taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 1998, all amounts included in the taxpayer's federal gross income in the taxable year from amounts converted from a regular IRA to a Roth IRA. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 250;
- (X) For taxable year 1999 and thereafter, an amount equal to the amount of any (i) distributions, to the extent includible in gross income for federal income tax purposes, made to the taxpayer because of his or her status as a victim of persecution for racial or religious reasons by Nazi Germany or any other Axis regime or as an heir of the victim and (ii) items of income, to the extent includible in gross income for federal income tax purposes, attributable to, derived from or in any way related to assets stolen from, hidden from, or otherwise lost to a victim of persecution for racial or religious reasons by Nazi Germany or any other Axis regime immediately prior to, during, and immediately after World War II, including, but not limited to, interest on the proceeds receivable as insurance under policies issued to a victim of persecution for

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racial or religious reasons by Nazi Germany or any other Axis regime by European insurance companies immediately prior to and during World War II; provided, however, this subtraction from federal adjusted gross income does not apply to assets acquired with such assets or with the proceeds from the sale of such assets; provided, further, this paragraph shall only apply to a taxpayer who was the first recipient of such assets after their recovery and who is a victim of persecution for racial or religious reasons by Nazi Germany or any other Axis regime or as an heir of the victim. The amount of and the eligibility for any public assistance, benefit, or similar entitlement is not affected by the inclusion of items (i) and (ii) of paragraph in gross income for federal income tax purposes. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 250; and

- (Y) For taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2002, moneys contributed in the taxable year to a College Savings Pool account under Section 16.5 of the State Treasurer Act. This subparagraph (Y) is exempt from the provisions of Section 250; and
- (Z) Any amount included in adjusted gross income, other than salary, received by a driver in a ridesharing arrangement using a motor vehicle.

(b) Corporations.

- (1) In general. In the case of a corporation, base income means an amount equal to the taxpayer's taxable income for the taxable year as modified by paragraph (2).
- (2) Modifications. The taxable income referred to in paragraph (1) shall be modified by adding thereto the sum of the following amounts:

1	(A) An amount equal to all amounts paid or
2	accrued to the taxpayer as interest and all
3	distributions received from regulated investment
4	companies during the taxable year to the extent
5	excluded from gross income in the computation of
6	taxable income;
7	(B) An amount equal to the amount of tax

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- (B) An amount equal to the amount of tax imposed by this Act to the extent deducted from gross income in the computation of taxable income for the taxable year;
- (C) In the case of a regulated investment company, an amount equal to the excess of (i) the net long-term capital gain for the taxable year, over (ii) the amount of the capital gain dividends designated as such in accordance with Section 852(b)(3)(C) of the Internal Revenue Code and any amount designated under Section 852(b)(3)(D) of the Internal Revenue Code, attributable to the taxable year (this amendatory Act of 1995 (Public Act 89-89) is declarative of existing law and is not a new enactment);
- (D) The amount of any net operating loss deduction taken in arriving at taxable income, other than a net operating loss carried forward from a taxable year ending prior to December 31, 1986;
- (E) For taxable years in which a net operating loss carryback or carryforward from a taxable year ending prior to December 31, 1986 is an element of taxable income under paragraph (1) of subsection (e) or subparagraph (E) of paragraph (2) of subsection (e), the amount by which addition modifications other than those provided by this subparagraph (E) exceeded subtraction modifications in such earlier taxable year, with the following limitations applied

1	in the order that they are listed:
2	(i) the addition modification relating to
3	the net operating loss carried back or forward
4	to the taxable year from any taxable year
5	ending prior to December 31, 1986 shall be
6	reduced by the amount of addition modification
7	under this subparagraph (E) which related to
8	that net operating loss and which was taken
9	into account in calculating the base income of
10	an earlier taxable year, and
11	(ii) the addition modification relating
12	to the net operating loss carried back or
13	forward to the taxable year from any taxable
14	year ending prior to December 31, 1986 shall
15	not exceed the amount of such carryback or
16	carryforward;
17	For taxable years in which there is a net
18	operating loss carryback or carryforward from more
19	than one other taxable year ending prior to December
20	31, 1986, the addition modification provided in this
21	subparagraph (E) shall be the sum of the amounts
22	computed independently under the preceding
23	provisions of this subparagraph (E) for each such
24	taxable year; and
25	(E-5) For taxable years ending after December
26	31, 1997, an amount equal to any eligible
27	remediation costs that the corporation deducted in
28	computing adjusted gross income and for which the
29	corporation claims a credit under subsection (1) of
30	Section 201;
31	and by deducting from the total so obtained the sum of
32	the following amounts:
33	(F) An amount equal to the amount of any tax
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taxpayer and included in such total for the taxable
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- (G) An amount equal to any amount included in such total under Section 78 of the Internal Revenue Code;
- (H) In the case of a regulated investment company, an amount equal to the amount of exempt interest dividends as defined in subsection (b) (5) of Section 852 of the Internal Revenue Code, paid to shareholders for the taxable year;
- (I) With the exception of any amounts subtracted under subparagraph (J), an amount equal to the sum of all amounts disallowed as deductions by (i) Sections 171(a) (2), and 265(a)(2) and amounts disallowed as interest expense by Section 291(a)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, as now or hereafter amended, and all amounts of expenses allocable to interest and disallowed as deductions by Section 265(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code, as now or hereafter amended; and (ii) for taxable years ending on or after August 13, 1999, Sections 171(a)(2), 265, 280C, 291(a)(3), and 832(b)(5)(B)(i) of the Internal Revenue Code; the provisions of this subparagraph are exempt from the provisions of Section 250;
- (J) An amount equal to all amounts included in such total which are exempt from taxation by this State either by reason of its statutes or Constitution or by reason of the Constitution, treaties or statutes of the United States; provided that, in the case of any statute of this State that exempts income derived from bonds or other obligations from the tax imposed under this Act, the amount exempted shall be the interest net of bond

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- (K) An amount equal to those dividends included in such total which were paid by a corporation which conducts business operations in an Enterprise Zone or zones created under the Illinois Enterprise Zone Act and conducts substantially all of its operations in an Enterprise Zone or zones;
- (L) An amount equal to those dividends included in such total that were paid by a corporation that conducts business operations in a federally designated Foreign Trade Zone or Sub-Zone and that is designated a High Impact Business located in Illinois; provided that dividends eligible for the deduction provided in subparagraph (K) of paragraph 2 of this subsection shall not be eligible for the deduction provided under this subparagraph (L);
- (M) For any taxpayer that is a financial organization within the meaning of Section 304(c) of this Act, an amount included in such total as interest income from a loan or loans made by such taxpayer to a borrower, to the extent that such a loan is secured by property which is eligible for the Enterprise Zone Investment Credit. To determine the portion of a loan or loans that is secured by property eligible for a Section 201(f) investment credit to the borrower, the entire principal amount of the loan or loans between the taxpayer and the borrower should be divided into the basis of the Section 201(f) investment credit property which secures the loan or loans, using for this purpose the original basis of such property on the date that it was placed in service in the Enterprise Zone. The subtraction modification available to taxpayer

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in any year under this subsection shall be that portion of the total interest paid by the borrower with respect to such loan attributable to the eligible property as calculated under the previous sentence;

(M-1) For any taxpayer that is a financial organization within the meaning of Section 304(c) of this Act, an amount included in such total as interest income from a loan or loans made by such taxpayer to a borrower, to the extent that such a loan is secured by property which is eligible for the High Impact Business Investment Credit. determine the portion of a loan or loans that is secured by property eligible for a Section 201(h) investment credit to the borrower, the entire principal amount of the loan or loans between the taxpayer and the borrower should be divided into the basis of the Section 201(h) investment credit property which secures the loan or loans, using for this purpose the original basis of such property on the date that it was placed in service in a federally designated Foreign Trade Zone or Sub-Zone located in Illinois. No taxpayer that is eligible for the deduction provided in subparagraph (M) of paragraph (2) of this subsection shall be eligible for the deduction provided under this subparagraph The subtraction modification available to (M-1). taxpayers in any year under this subsection shall be that portion of the total interest paid by the borrower with respect to such loan attributable to the eligible property as calculated under the previous sentence;

(N) Two times any contribution made during the taxable year to a designated zone organization to

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the extent that the contribution (i) qualifies as a charitable contribution under subsection (c) of Section 170 of the Internal Revenue Code and (ii) must, by its terms, be used for a project approved by the Department of Commerce and Community Affairs under Section 11 of the Illinois Enterprise Zone Act;

(0) An amount equal to: (i) 85% for taxable years ending on or before December 31, 1992, or, a percentage equal to the percentage allowable under Section 243(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 for taxable years ending after December 31, 1992, of the amount by which dividends included in taxable income and received from a corporation that is not created or organized under the laws of the United States or any state or political subdivision thereof, including, for taxable years ending on or after December 31, 1988, dividends received or deemed received or paid or deemed paid under Sections 951 through 964 of the Internal Revenue Code, exceed the amount of the modification provided under subparagraph (G) of paragraph (2) of this subsection (b) which is related to such dividends; plus (ii) 100% of the amount by which dividends, included in taxable income and received, including, for taxable years ending on or after December 31, 1988, dividends received or deemed received or paid or deemed paid under Sections 951 through 964 of the Internal Revenue Code, from any such corporation specified in clause (i) that would but for the provisions of Section 1504 (b) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code be treated as a member of t.he affiliated group which includes the dividend recipient, exceed the amount of the modification

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provided under subparagraph (G) of paragraph (2) of this subsection (b) which is related to such dividends;

- (P) An amount equal to any contribution made to a job training project established pursuant to the Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment Act;
- (Q) An amount equal to the amount of the deduction used to compute the federal income tax credit for restoration of substantial amounts held under claim of right for the taxable year pursuant to Section 1341 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986;
- (R) In the case of an attorney-in-fact with respect to whom an interinsurer or a reciprocal insurer has made the election under Section 835 of the Internal Revenue Code, 26 U.S.C. 835, an amount equal to the excess, if any, of the amounts paid or incurred by that interinsurer or reciprocal insurer in the taxable year to the attorney-in-fact over the deduction allowed to that interinsurer or reciprocal insurer with respect to the attorney-in-fact under Section 835(b) of the Internal Revenue Code for the taxable year; and
- (S) For taxable years ending on or after December 31, 1997, in the case of a Subchapter S corporation, an amount equal to all amounts of income allocable to a shareholder subject to the Personal Property Tax Replacement Income Tax imposed by subsections (c) and (d) of Section 201 of this Act, including amounts allocable to organizations exempt from federal income tax by reason of Section 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code. This subparagraph (S) is exempt from the provisions of Section 250.

1	(3) Special rule. For purposes of paragraph (2)
2	(A), "gross income" in the case of a life insurance
3	company, for tax years ending on and after December 31,
4	1994, shall mean the gross investment income for the
5	taxable year.
6	(c) Trusts and estates.
7	(1) In general. In the case of a trust or estate,
8	base income means an amount equal to the taxpayer's
9	taxable income for the taxable year as modified by
10	paragraph (2).
11	(2) Modifications. Subject to the provisions of
12	paragraph (3), the taxable income referred to in
13	paragraph (1) shall be modified by adding thereto the sum
14	of the following amounts:
15	(A) An amount equal to all amounts paid or
16	accrued to the taxpayer as interest or dividends
17	during the taxable year to the extent excluded from
18	gross income in the computation of taxable income;
19	(B) In the case of (i) an estate, \$600; (ii) a
20	trust which, under its governing instrument, is
21	required to distribute all of its income currently,
22	\$300; and (iii) any other trust, \$100, but in each
23	such case, only to the extent such amount was
24	deducted in the computation of taxable income;
25	(C) An amount equal to the amount of tax
26	imposed by this Act to the extent deducted from
27	gross income in the computation of taxable income
28	for the taxable year;
29	(D) The amount of any net operating loss
30	deduction taken in arriving at taxable income, other
31	than a net operating loss carried forward from a
32	taxable year ending prior to December 31, 1986;
33	(E) For taxable years in which a net operating

loss carryback or carryforward from a taxable year

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ending prior to December 31, 1986 is an element of taxable income under paragraph (1) of subsection (e) or subparagraph (E) of paragraph (2) of subsection (e), the amount by which addition modifications other than those provided by this subparagraph (E) exceeded subtraction modifications in such taxable year, with the following limitations applied in the order that they are listed:

- (i) the addition modification relating to the net operating loss carried back or forward to the taxable year from any taxable year ending prior to December 31, 1986 shall be reduced by the amount of addition modification under this subparagraph (E) which related to that net operating loss and which was taken into account in calculating the base income of an earlier taxable year, and
- (ii) the addition modification relating to the net operating loss carried back or forward to the taxable year from any taxable year ending prior to December 31, 1986 shall not exceed the amount of such carryback or carryforward;

For taxable years in which there is a net operating loss carryback or carryforward from more than one other taxable year ending prior to December 31, 1986, the addition modification provided in this subparagraph (E) shall be the sum of the amounts computed independently under the preceding provisions of this subparagraph (E) for each such taxable year;

(F) For taxable years ending on or after January 1, 1989, an amount equal to the tax deducted pursuant to Section 164 of the Internal Revenue Code

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2	purposes of the Illinois foreign tax credit under
3	Section 601 of this Act;
4	(G) An amount equal to the amount of the
5	capital gain deduction allowable under the Internal
6	Revenue Code, to the extent deducted from gross
7	income in the computation of taxable income; and
8	(G-5) For taxable years ending after December
9	31, 1997, an amount equal to any eligible
10	remediation costs that the trust or estate deducted
11	in computing adjusted gross income and for which the
12	trust or estate claims a credit under subsection (1)
13	of Section 201;
14	and by deducting from the total so obtained the sum of
15	the following amounts:
16	(H) An amount equal to all amounts included in
17	such total pursuant to the provisions of Sections
18	402(a), 402(c), 403(a), 403(b), 406(a), 407(a) and
19	408 of the Internal Revenue Code or included in such
20	total as distributions under the provisions of any
21	retirement or disability plan for employees of any
22	governmental agency or unit, or retirement payments
23	to retired partners, which payments are excluded in
24	computing net earnings from self employment by
25	Section 1402 of the Internal Revenue Code and
26	regulations adopted pursuant thereto;
27	(I) The valuation limitation amount;
28	(J) An amount equal to the amount of any tax
29	imposed by this Act which was refunded to the
30	taxpayer and included in such total for the taxable
31	year;
32	(K) An amount equal to all amounts included in
33	taxable income as modified by subparagraphs (A),
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from taxation by this State either by reason of its statutes or Constitution or by reason of the Constitution, treaties or statutes of the United States; provided that, in the case of any statute of this State that exempts income derived from bonds or other obligations from the tax imposed under this Act, the amount exempted shall be the interest net of bond premium amortization;

- (L) With the exception of any amounts subtracted under subparagraph (K), an amount equal to the sum of all amounts disallowed as deductions by (i) Sections 171(a) (2) and 265(a)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, as now or hereafter amended, and all amounts of expenses allocable to and disallowed as deductions by Section 265(1) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as now or hereafter amended; and (ii) for taxable years ending on or after August 13, 1999, Sections 171(a)(2), 265, 280C, and 832(b)(5)(B)(i) of the Internal Revenue Code; the provisions of this subparagraph are exempt from the provisions of Section 250;
- (M) An amount equal to those dividends included in such total which were paid by a corporation which conducts business operations in an Enterprise Zone or zones created under the Illinois Enterprise Zone Act and conducts substantially all of its operations in an Enterprise Zone or Zones;
- (N) An amount equal to any contribution made to a job training project established pursuant to the Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment Act;
- (0) An amount equal to those dividends included in such total that were paid by a corporation that conducts business operations in a federally designated Foreign Trade Zone or Sub-Zone

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and that is designated a High Impact Business located in Illinois; provided that dividends eligible for the deduction provided in subparagraph (M) of paragraph (2) of this subsection shall not be eligible for the deduction provided under this subparagraph (0);

- (P) An amount equal to the amount of the deduction used to compute the federal income tax credit for restoration of substantial amounts held under claim of right for the taxable year pursuant to Section 1341 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986; and
- (Q) For taxable year 1999 and thereafter, an amount equal to the amount of any (i) distributions, to the extent includible in gross income for federal income tax purposes, made to the taxpayer because of his or her status as a victim of persecution for racial or religious reasons by Nazi Germany or any other Axis regime or as an heir of the victim and (ii) items of income, to the extent includible in gross income for federal income tax purposes, attributable to, derived from or in any way related to assets stolen from, hidden from, or otherwise lost to a victim of persecution for racial or religious reasons by Nazi Germany or any other Axis regime immediately prior to, during, and immediately after World War II, including, but not limited to, interest on the proceeds receivable as insurance under policies issued to a victim of persecution for racial or religious reasons by Nazi Germany or any other Axis regime by European insurance companies immediately prior to and during World War II; provided, however, this subtraction from federal adjusted gross income does not apply to assets

1 acquired with such assets or with the proceeds from 2 the sale of such assets; provided, further, this paragraph shall only apply to a taxpayer who was the 3 4 first recipient of such assets after their recovery and who is a victim of persecution for racial or 5 religious reasons by Nazi Germany or any other Axis 6 7 regime or as an heir of the victim. The amount of and the eligibility for any public assistance, 8 9 benefit, or similar entitlement is not affected by the inclusion of items (i) and (ii) of 10 11 paragraph in gross income for federal income tax 12 purposes. This paragraph is exempt from the provisions of Section 250. 13

(3) Limitation. The amount of any modification otherwise required under this subsection shall, under regulations prescribed by the Department, be adjusted by any amounts included therein which were properly paid, credited, or required to be distributed, or permanently set aside for charitable purposes pursuant to Internal Revenue Code Section 642(c) during the taxable year.

(d) Partnerships.

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- (1) In general. In the case of a partnership, base income means an amount equal to the taxpayer's taxable income for the taxable year as modified by paragraph (2).
- (2) Modifications. The taxable income referred to in paragraph (1) shall be modified by adding thereto the sum of the following amounts:
 - (A) An amount equal to all amounts paid or accrued to the taxpayer as interest or dividends during the taxable year to the extent excluded from gross income in the computation of taxable income;
 - (B) An amount equal to the amount of tax imposed by this Act to the extent deducted from gross income for the taxable year;

1	(C) The amount of deductions allowed to the
2	partnership pursuant to Section 707 (c) of the
3	Internal Revenue Code in calculating its taxable
4	income; and
5	(D) An amount equal to the amount of the
6	capital gain deduction allowable under the Internal
7	Revenue Code, to the extent deducted from gross
8	income in the computation of taxable income;
9	and by deducting from the total so obtained the following
10	amounts:
11	(E) The valuation limitation amount;
12	(F) An amount equal to the amount of any tax
L3	imposed by this Act which was refunded to the
L4	taxpayer and included in such total for the taxable
L5	year;
L6	(G) An amount equal to all amounts included in
L7	taxable income as modified by subparagraphs (A),
L8	(B), (C) and (D) which are exempt from taxation by
L9	this State either by reason of its statutes or
20	Constitution or by reason of the Constitution,
21	treaties or statutes of the United States; provided
22	that, in the case of any statute of this State that
23	exempts income derived from bonds or other
24	obligations from the tax imposed under this Act, the
25	amount exempted shall be the interest net of bond
26	<pre>premium amortization;</pre>
27	(H) Any income of the partnership which
28	constitutes personal service income as defined in
29	Section 1348 (b) (1) of the Internal Revenue Code
30	(as in effect December 31, 1981) or a reasonable
31	allowance for compensation paid or accrued for
32	services rendered by partners to the partnership,
33	whichever is greater;
34	(I) An amount equal to all amounts of income

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distributable to an entity subject to the Personal Property Tax Replacement Income Tax imposed by subsections (c) and (d) of Section 201 of this Act including amounts distributable to organizations exempt from federal income tax by reason of Section 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code;

- (J) With the exception of any amounts subtracted under subparagraph (G), an amount equal to the sum of all amounts disallowed as deductions by (i) Sections 171(a) (2), and 265(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as now or hereafter amended, and all amounts of expenses allocable to interest and disallowed as deductions by Section 265(1) of the Internal Revenue Code, as now or hereafter amended; and (ii) for taxable years ending on or after August 13, 1999, Sections 171(a)(2), 265, 280C, and 832(b)(5)(B)(i) of the Internal Revenue Code; the provisions of this subparagraph are exempt from the provisions of Section 250;
- (K) An amount equal to those dividends included in such total which were paid by a corporation which conducts business operations in an Enterprise Zone or zones created under the Illinois Enterprise Zone Act, enacted by the 82nd General Assembly, and conducts substantially all of its operations which-does-not--conduct--such--operations other-than in an Enterprise Zone or Zones;
- (L) An amount equal to any contribution made to a job training project established pursuant to the Real Property Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment Act;
- (M) An amount equal to those dividends included in such total that were paid by a corporation that conducts business operations in a

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federally designated Foreign Trade Zone or Sub-Zone and that is designated a High Impact Business located in Illinois; provided that dividends eligible for the deduction provided in subparagraph (K) of paragraph (2) of this subsection shall not be eligible for the deduction provided under this subparagraph (M); and

- (N) An amount equal to the amount of the deduction used to compute the federal income tax credit for restoration of substantial amounts held under claim of right for the taxable year pursuant to Section 1341 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.
- (e) Gross income; adjusted gross income; taxable income.
- (1) In general. Subject to the provisions of paragraph (2) and subsection (b) (3), for purposes of this Section and Section 803(e), a taxpayer's gross income, adjusted gross income, or taxable income for the taxable year shall mean the amount of gross income, adjusted gross income or taxable income properly reportable for federal income tax purposes for the taxable year under the provisions of the Internal Revenue Code. Taxable income may be less than zero. However, for taxable years ending on or after December 31, 1986, net operating loss carryforwards from taxable years ending prior to December 31, 1986, may not exceed the sum of federal taxable income for the taxable year before net operating loss deduction, plus the excess of addition modifications over subtraction modifications for the taxable year. For taxable years ending prior to December 31, 1986, taxable income may never be an amount in excess of the net operating loss for the taxable year as defined in subsections (c) and (d) of Section 172 of the Internal Revenue Code, provided that when taxable income of a

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corporation (other than a Subchapter S corporation), or estate is less than zero and addition trust, modifications, other than those provided by subparagraph (E) of paragraph (2) of subsection (b) for corporations or subparagraph (E) of paragraph (2) of subsection (c) for trusts and estates, exceed subtraction modifications, addition modification must be made under those an subparagraphs for any other taxable year to which the taxable income less than zero (net operating loss) is applied under Section 172 of the Internal Revenue Code or under subparagraph (E) of paragraph (2) of this subsection (e) applied in conjunction with Section 172 of the Internal Revenue Code.

- (2) Special rule. For purposes of paragraph (1) of this subsection, the taxable income properly reportable for federal income tax purposes shall mean:
 - (A) Certain life insurance companies. In the case of a life insurance company subject to the tax imposed by Section 801 of the Internal Revenue Code, life insurance company taxable income, plus the amount of distribution from pre-1984 policyholder surplus accounts as calculated under Section 815a of the Internal Revenue Code;
 - (B) Certain other insurance companies. In the case of mutual insurance companies subject to the tax imposed by Section 831 of the Internal Revenue Code, insurance company taxable income;
 - (C) Regulated investment companies. In the case of a regulated investment company subject to the tax imposed by Section 852 of the Internal Revenue Code, investment company taxable income;
 - (D) Real estate investment trusts. In the case of a real estate investment trust subject to the tax imposed by Section 857 of the Internal

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Revenue Code, real estate investment trust taxable income;

- (E) Consolidated corporations. In the case of a corporation which is a member of an affiliated group of corporations filing a consolidated income tax return for the taxable year for federal income tax purposes, taxable income determined as if such corporation had filed a separate return for federal income tax purposes for the taxable year and each preceding taxable year for which it was a member of an affiliated group. For purposes of this subparagraph, the taxpayer's separate taxable income shall be determined as if the election provided by Section 243(b) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code had been in effect for all such years;
- (F) Cooperatives. In the case of a cooperative corporation or association, the taxable income of such organization determined in accordance with the provisions of Section 1381 through 1388 of the Internal Revenue Code;
- of: (i) a Subchapter S corporations. In the case of: (i) a Subchapter S corporation for which there is in effect an election for the taxable year under Section 1362 of the Internal Revenue Code, the taxable income of such corporation determined in accordance with Section 1363(b) of the Internal Revenue Code, except that taxable income shall take into account those items which are required by Section 1363(b)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code to be separately stated; and (ii) a Subchapter S corporation for which there is in effect a federal election to opt out of the provisions of the Subchapter S Revision Act of 1982 and have applied instead the prior federal Subchapter S rules as in

1	effect on July 1, 1982, the taxable income of such
2	corporation determined in accordance with the
3	federal Subchapter S rules as in effect on July 1,
4	1982; and
5	(H) Partnerships. In the case of a
6	partnership, taxable income determined in accordance
7	with Section 703 of the Internal Revenue Code,
8	except that taxable income shall take into account
9	those items which are required by Section 703(a)(1)

(f) Valuation limitation amount.

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(1) In general. The valuation limitation amount referred to in subsections (a) (2) (G), (c) (2) (I) and (d)(2) (E) is an amount equal to:

to be separately stated but which would be taken

into account by an individual in calculating his

- (A) The sum of the pre-August 1, 1969 appreciation amounts (to the extent consisting of gain reportable under the provisions of Section 1245 or 1250 of the Internal Revenue Code) for all property in respect of which such gain was reported for the taxable year; plus
- (B) The lesser of (i) the sum of the pre-August 1, 1969 appreciation amounts (to the extent consisting of capital gain) for all property in respect of which such gain was reported for federal income tax purposes for the taxable year, or (ii) the net capital gain for the taxable year, reduced in either case by any amount of such gain included in the amount determined under subsection (a) (2) (F) or (c) (2) (H).
- (2) Pre-August 1, 1969 appreciation amount.
- (A) If the fair market value of property referred to in paragraph (1) was readily

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ascertainable on August 1, 1969, the pre-August 1, 1969 appreciation amount for such property is the lesser of (i) the excess of such fair market value over the taxpayer's basis (for determining gain) for such property on that date (determined under the Internal Revenue Code as in effect on that date), or (ii) the total gain realized and reportable for federal income tax purposes in respect of the sale, exchange or other disposition of such property.

- (B) If the fair market value of property referred to in paragraph (1) was not readily ascertainable on August 1, 1969, the pre-August 1, 1969 appreciation amount for such property is that amount which bears the same ratio to the total gain reported in respect of the property for federal income tax purposes for the taxable year, as the number of full calendar months in that part of the taxpayer's holding period for the property ending July 31, 1969 bears to the number of full calendar months in the taxpayer's entire holding period for the property.
- (C) The Department shall prescribe such regulations as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of this paragraph.
- (g) Double deductions. Unless specifically provided otherwise, nothing in this Section shall permit the same item to be deducted more than once.
- 28 (h) Legislative intention. Except as expressly provided
 29 by this Section there shall be no modifications or
 30 limitations on the amounts of income, gain, loss or deduction
 31 taken into account in determining gross income, adjusted
 32 gross income or taxable income for federal income tax
 33 purposes for the taxable year, or in the amount of such items

- 1 entering into the computation of base income and net income
- 2 under this Act for such taxable year, whether in respect of
- 3 property values as of August 1, 1969 or otherwise.
- 4 (Source: P.A. 91-192, eff. 7-20-99; 91-205, eff. 7-20-99;
- 5 91-357, eff. 7-29-99; 91-541, eff. 8-13-99; 91-676, eff.
- 6 12-23-99; 91-845, eff. 6-22-00; 91-913, eff. 1-1-01; 92-16,
- 7 eff. 6-28-01; 92-244, eff. 8-3-01; 92-439, eff. 8-17-01;
- 8 revised 9-21-01.)
- 9 (35 ILCS 5/209)
- 10 Sec. 209. Tax Credit for "TECH-PREP" youth vocational
- 11 programs.

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- 12 (a) Beginning with tax years ending on or after June 30,
- 13 1995, every taxpayer who is primarily engaged in
- 14 manufacturing is allowed a credit against the tax imposed by
- 15 subsections (a) and (b) of Section 201 in an amount equal to
- 16 20% of the taxpayer's direct payroll expenditures for which a
- 17 credit has not already been claimed under subsection (j) of
- 18 Section 201 of this Act, in the tax year for which the credit
- is claimed, for cooperative secondary school youth vocational
- 20 programs in Illinois which are certified as qualifying

TECH-PREP programs by the State Board of Education and-the

Department-of-Revenue because the programs prepare students

- 23 to be technically skilled workers and meet the performance
- 24 standards of business and industry and the admission
- 25 standards of higher education. The credit may also be claimed
- for personal services rendered to the taxpayer by a TECH-PREP
- 27 student or instructor (i) which would be subject to the
- 28 provisions of Article 7 of this Act if the student or
- instructor was an employee of the taxpayer and (ii) for which
- 30 no credit under this Section is claimed by another taxpayer.
- 31 (b) If the amount of the credit exceeds the tax
- 32 liability for the year, the excess may be carried forward and
- 33 applied to the tax liability of the 2 taxable years following

- 1 the excess credit year. The credit shall be applied to the
- 2 earliest year for which there is a tax liability. If there
- 3 are credits from more than one tax year that are available to
- 4 offset a liability, the earlier credit shall be applied
- 5 first.
- 6 (c) A taxpayer claiming the credit provided by this
- 7 Section shall maintain and record such information regarding
- 8 its participation in a qualifying TECH-PREP program as the
- 9 Department may require by regulation. When claiming the
- 10 credit provided by this Section, the taxpayer shall provide
- 11 such information regarding the taxpayer's participation in a
- 12 qualifying TECH-PREP program as the Department of Revenue may
- 13 require by regulation.
- 14 (d) This Section does not apply to those programs with
- 15 national standards that have been or in the future are
- 16 approved by the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of
- 17 Apprenticeship Training or any federal agency succeeding to
- 18 the responsibilities of that Bureau.
- 19 (Source: P.A. 88-505; 89-399, eff. 8-20-95.)
- 20 (35 ILCS 5/502) (from Ch. 120, par. 5-502)
- 21 Sec. 502. Returns and notices.
- 22 (a) In general. A return with respect to the taxes
- 23 imposed by this Act shall be made by every person for any
- 24 taxable year:
- 25 (1) For which such person is liable for a tax
- 26 imposed by this Act, or
- 27 (2) In the case of a resident or in the case of a
- 28 corporation which is qualified to do business in this
- 29 State, for which such person is required to make a
- federal income tax return, regardless of whether such
- 31 person is liable for a tax imposed by this Act. However,
- 32 this paragraph shall not require a resident to make a
- return if such person has an Illinois base income of the

basic amount in Section 204(b) or less and is either claimed as a dependent on another person's tax return under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or is claimed as a dependent on another person's tax return under this Act.

(b) Fiduciaries and receivers.

- (1) Decedents. If an individual is deceased, any return or notice required of such individual under this Act shall be made by his executor, administrator, or other person charged with the property of such decedent.
- (2) Individuals under a disability. If an individual is unable to make a return or notice required under this Act, the return or notice required of such individual shall be made by his duly authorized agent, guardian, fiduciary or other person charged with the care of the person or property of such individual.
- (3) Estates and trusts. Returns or notices required of an estate or a trust shall be made by the fiduciary thereof.
- (4) Receivers, trustees and assignees for corporations. In a case where a receiver, trustee in bankruptcy, or assignee, by order of a court of competent jurisdiction, by operation of law, or otherwise, has possession of or holds title to all or substantially all the property or business of a corporation, whether or not such property or business is being operated, such receiver, trustee, or assignee shall make the returns and notices required of such corporation in the same manner and form as corporations are required to make such returns and notices.
- (c) Joint returns by husband and wife.
 - (1) Except as provided in paragraph (3), if a husband and wife file a joint federal income tax return for a taxable year they shall file a joint return under

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this Act for such taxable year and their liabilities shall be joint and several, but if the federal income tax liability of either spouse is determined on a separate federal income tax return, they shall file separate returns under this Act.

- (2) If neither spouse is required to file a federal income tax return and either or both are required to file a return under this Act, they may elect to file separate or joint returns and pursuant to such election their liabilities shall be separate or joint and several.
- (3) If either husband or wife is a resident and the other is a nonresident, they shall file separate returns in this State on such forms as may be required by the Department in which event their tax liabilities shall be separate; but they may elect to determine their joint net income and file a joint return as if both were residents and in such case, their liabilities shall be joint and several.

(4) Innocent spouses.

(A) However, for tax liabilities arising and paid prior to August 13, 1999 the-effective-date-of this-amendatory-Act-of-the-91st-General-Assembly, an innocent spouse shall be relieved of liability for tax (including interest and penalties) for any taxable year for which a joint return has been made, upon submission of proof that the Internal Revenue Service has made a determination under Section 6013(e) of the Internal Revenue Code, for the same taxable year, which determination relieved the spouse from liability for federal income taxes. If there is no federal income tax liability at issue for the same taxable year, the Department shall rely on the provisions of Section 6013(e) to determine whether the person requesting innocent spouse

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abatement of tax, penalty, and interest is entitled to that relief.

(B) For tax liabilities arising on and after August 13, 1999 the-effective---date---of---this amendatory-Act-of-the-91st-General-Assembly or which arose prior to that effective date, but remain unpaid as of that the-effective date, if an individual who filed a joint return for any taxable year has made an election under this paragraph, the individual's liability for any tax shown on the joint return shall not exceed the individual's separate return amount and the individual's liability for any deficiency assessed for that taxable year shall not exceed the portion of the deficiency properly allocable to the individual. For purposes of this paragraph:

- (i) An election properly made pursuant to Section 6015 of the Internal Revenue Code shall constitute an election under this paragraph, provided that the election shall not be effective until the individual has notified the Department of the election in the form and manner prescribed by the Department.
- (ii) If no election has been made under Section 6015, the individual may make an election under this paragraph in the form and manner prescribed by the Department, provided that no election may be made if the Department finds that assets were transferred between individuals filing a joint return as part of a scheme by such individuals to avoid payment of Illinois income tax and the election shall not eliminate the individual's liability for any portion of a deficiency attributable to an

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error on the return of which the individual had actual knowledge as of the date of filing.

(iii) In determining the separate return amount or portion of any deficiency attributable to an individual, the Department shall follow the provisions in subsections (c) and (d) of Section 6015 6015(b)-and-(e) of the Internal Revenue Code.

(iv) In determining the validity of an individual's election under subparagraph (ii) and in determining an electing individual's separate return amount or portion of any deficiency under subparagraph (iii), any determination made by the Secretary of the Treasury, by the United States Tax Court on petition for review of a determination by the Secretary of the Treasury, or on appeal from the United States Tax Court under Section 6015 6015(a) of the Internal Revenue Code regarding criteria for eligibility or under <u>subsection</u> (d) of Section 6015 6015(b)--or--(e) of the Internal Revenue Code regarding the allocation of any item of income, deduction, payment, or credit between an individual making the federal election and that individual's spouse shall be conclusively presumed to be correct. With respect to any item that is not the subject of a determination by the Secretary of the Treasury or the federal courts, any proceeding involving this subsection, the individual making the election shall have the burden of proof with respect to any item except that the Department shall have the burden of proof with respect to items in subdivision 1 (ii).

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(v) Any election made by an individual under this subsection shall apply to all years for which that individual and the spouse named in the election have filed a joint return.

(vi) After receiving a notice that the federal election has been made or after receiving an election under subdivision (ii), the Department shall take no collection action against the electing individual for any liability arising from a joint return covered by the election until the Department notified the electing individual in writing that the election is invalid or of the portion of the liability the Department has allocated to the electing individual. Within 60 days (150 days if the individual is outside the United States) after the issuance of such notification, the individual may file a written protest of the denial of the election or of the Department's determination of the liability allocated to him or her and shall be granted a hearing within the Department under the provisions of Section 908. If a protest is filed, the Department shall take no collection action against the electing individual until the decision regarding the protest has become final under subsection (d) of Section 908 or, if administrative review of the Department's decision is requested under Section 1201, until the decision of the court becomes final.

(d) Partnerships. Every partnership having any base income allocable to this State in accordance with section 305(c) shall retain information concerning all items of

income, gain, loss and deduction; the names and addresses of

2 all of the partners, or names and addresses of members of a

limited liability company, or other persons who would be

4 entitled to share in the base income of the partnership if

distributed; the amount of the distributive share of each;

6 and such other pertinent information as the Department may by

forms or regulations prescribe. The partnership shall make

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(e) For taxable years ending on or after December 31, 10 11 1985, and before December 31, 1993, taxpayers that are 12 corporations (other than Subchapter S corporations) having the same taxable year and that are members of the same 13 unitary business group may elect to be treated as one 14 15 taxpayer for purposes of any original return, amended return 16 which includes the same taxpayers of the unitary group which joined in the election to file the 17 original return, extension, claim for refund, assessment, collection and 18 19 payment and determination of the group's tax liability under this Act. This subsection (e) does not permit the election to 20 be made for some, but not all, of the purposes enumerated 21 22 above. For taxable years ending on or after December 31, 23 corporate members (other than Subchapter corporations) of the same unitary business group making this 24 25 subsection (e) election are not required to have the same 26 taxable year.

For taxable years ending on or after December 31, 1993, taxpayers that are corporations (other than Subchapter S corporations) and that are members of the same unitary business group shall be treated as one taxpayer for purposes of any original return, amended return which includes the same taxpayers of the unitary group which joined in filing the original return, extension, claim for refund, assessment, collection and payment and determination of the group's tax

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2 (f) The Department may promulgate regulations to permit nonresident individual partners of the same partnership, 3 4 nonresident Subchapter S corporation shareholders of the same 5 Subchapter S corporation, and nonresident individuals 6 transacting an insurance business in Illinois under a Lloyds 7 plan of operation, and nonresident individual members of the 8 limited liability company that is treated as a 9 partnership under Section 1501 (a)(16) of this Act, to file composite individual income tax returns reflecting 10 11 composite income of such individuals allocable to Illinois 12 and to make composite individual income tax payments. 13 Department may by regulation also permit such composite returns to include the income tax owed by Illinois residents 14 15 attributable to their income from partnerships, Subchapter S 16 corporations, insurance businesses organized under a Lloyds plan of operation, or limited liability companies that are 17 18 treated as partnership under Section 1501 (a)(16) of this 19 Act, in which case such Illinois residents will be permitted to claim credits on their individual returns for their shares 20 of the composite tax payments. This paragraph of subsection 21 22 (f) applies to taxable years ending on or after December 31, 23 1987. For taxable years ending on or after December 31, 1999, 24 25

the Department may, by regulation, also permit any persons transacting an insurance business organized under a Lloyds plan of operation to file composite returns reflecting the income of such persons allocable to Illinois and the tax rates applicable to such persons under Section 201 and to make composite tax payments and shall, by regulation, also provide that the income and apportionment factors attributable to the transaction of an insurance business organized under a Lloyds plan of operation by any person joining in the filing of a composite return shall, for

- 1 purposes of allocating and apportioning income under Article
- 2 3 of this Act and computing net income under Section 202 of
- 3 this Act, be excluded from any other income and apportionment
- 4 factors of that person or of any unitary business group, as
- defined in subdivision (a)(27) of Section 1501, to which that
- 6 person may belong.
- 7 (g) The Department may adopt rules to authorize the
- 8 electronic filing of any return required to be filed under
- 9 this Section.
- 10 (Source: P.A. 90-613, eff. 7-9-98; 91-541, eff. 8-13-99;
- 11 91-913, eff. 1-1-01.)
- 12 (35 ILCS 5/506) (from Ch. 120, par. 5-506)
- 13 Sec. 506. Federal Returns.
- 14 (a) In general. Any person required to make a return
- 15 for a taxable year under this Act may, at any time that a
- 16 deficiency could be assessed or a refund claimed under this
- 17 Act in respect of any item reported or properly reportable on
- 18 such return or any amendment thereof, be required to furnish
- 19 to the Department a true and correct copy of any return which
- 20 may pertain to such item and which was filed by such person
- 21 under the provisions of the Internal Revenue Code.
- 22 (b) Changes affecting federal income tax. <u>A person shall</u>
- 23 <u>notify the Department if:</u> In-the-event
- 24 $\underline{\text{(1)}}$ the taxable income, any item of income or
- deduction, the income tax liability, or any tax credit
- 26 reported in a federal income tax return of <u>that</u> any
- 27 person for any year is altered by amendment of such
- 28 return or as a result of any other recomputation or
- 29 redetermination of federal taxable income or loss, and
- 30 such alteration reflects a change or settlement with
- 31 respect to any item or items, affecting the computation
- of such person's net income, net loss, or of any credit
- provided by Article 2 of this Act for any year under this

Act, or in the number of personal exemptions allowable to such person under Section 151 of the Internal Revenue Code, or

that person from compensation paid to employees and required to be reported by that person on a federal return is altered by amendment of the return or by any other recomputation or redetermination that is agreed to or finally determined on or after January 1, 2003, and the alteration affects the amount of compensation subject to withholding by that person under Section 701 of this Act such-person-shall-notify-the-Department-of-such alteration.

Such notification shall be in the form of an amended return or such other form as the Department may by regulations prescribe, shall contain the person's name and address and such other information as the Department may by regulations prescribe, shall be signed by such person or his duly authorized representative, and shall be filed not later than 120 days after such alteration has been agreed to or finally determined for federal income tax purposes or any federal income tax deficiency or refund, tentative carryback adjustment, abatement or credit resulting therefrom has been assessed or paid, whichever shall first occur.

25 (Source: P.A. 90-491, eff. 1-1-98.)

- 26 (35 ILCS 5/601.1) (Ch. 120, par. 6-601.1)
- 27 Sec. 601.1. Payment by electronic funds transfer.
- 28 (a) Beginning on October 1, 1993, a taxpayer who has an average monthly tax liability of \$150,000 or more under 30 Article 7 of this Act shall make all payments required by 11 rules of the Department by electronic funds transfer. 12 Beginning October 1, 1993, a taxpayer who has an average 13 quarterly estimated tax payment obligation of \$450,000 or

1 more under Article 8 of this Act shall make all payments 2 required by rules of the Department by electronic funds transfer. Beginning on October 1, 1994, a taxpayer who has 3 4 an average monthly tax liability of \$100,000 or more under Article 7 of this Act shall make all payments required by 5 6 of the Department by electronic funds transfer. 7 Beginning October 1, 1994, a taxpayer who has an average 8 quarterly estimated tax payment obligation of \$300,000 or 9 more under Article 8 of this Act shall make all payments required by rules of the Department by electronic funds 10 11 transfer. Beginning on October 1, 1995, a taxpayer who has an average monthly tax liability of \$50,000 or more under 12 Article 7 of this Act shall make all payments required by 13 of the Department by electronic funds transfer. 14 Beginning October 1, 1995, a taxpayer who has an average 15 16 quarterly estimated tax payment obligation of \$150,000 or more under Article 8 of this Act shall make all payments 17 required by rules of the Department by electronic funds 18 19 transfer. Beginning on October 1, 2000, and for all liability periods thereafter, a taxpayer who has an average annual tax 20 21 liability of \$200,000 or more under Article 7 of this Act shall make all payments required by rules of the Department 22 23 by electronic funds transfer. Beginning October 1, 2000, a taxpayer who has an average quarterly estimated tax payment 24 25 obligation of \$50,000 or more under Article 8 of this Act shall make all payments required by rules of the Department 26 by electronic funds transfer. Beginning on October 1, 2002, a 27 taxpayer who has a tax liability in the amount set forth in 28 subsection (b) of Section 2505-210 of the Department 29 30 Revenue Law shall make all payments required by rules of the Department by electronic funds transfer. Beginning on October 31 32 1, 2002, a taxpayer who has a tax liability in the amount set forth in subsection (b) of Section 2505-210 of the Department 33 34 of Revenue Law shall make all payments required by rules of

- 1 <u>the Department by electronic funds transfer.</u>
- 2 (b) Any taxpayer who is not required to make payments by
- 3 electronic funds transfer may make payments by electronic
- 4 funds transfer with the permission of the Department.
- 5 (c) All taxpayers required to make payments by
- 6 electronic funds transfer and any taxpayers who wish to
- 7 voluntarily make payments by electronic funds transfer shall
- 8 make those payments in the manner authorized by the
- 9 Department.
- 10 (d) The Department shall notify all taxpayers required
- 11 to make payments by electronic funds transfer. All
- 12 taxpayers notified by the Department shall make payments by
- 13 electronic funds transfer for a minimum of one year beginning
- 14 on October 1. In determining the threshold amounts under
- 15 subsection (a), the Department shall calculate the averages
- 16 as follows:
- 17 (1) the total liability under Article 7 for the
- 18 preceding tax year (and, prior to October 1, 2000,
- 19 divided by 12); or
- 20 (2) for purposes of estimated payments under
- 21 Article 8, the total tax obligation of the taxpayer for
- the previous tax year divided by 4.
- 23 (e) The Department shall adopt such rules as are
- 24 necessary to effectuate a program of electronic funds
- 25 transfer and the requirements of this Section.
- 26 (Source: P.A. 91-541, eff. 8-13-99; 92-492, eff. 1-1-02.)
- 27 (35 ILCS 5/701) (from Ch. 120, par. 7-701)
- 28 Sec. 701. Requirement and Amount of Withholding.
- 29 (a) In General. Every employer maintaining an office or
- 30 transacting business within this State and required under the
- 31 provisions of the Internal Revenue Code to withhold a tax on:
- 32 (1) compensation paid in this State (as determined
- under Section 304 (a) (2) (B) to an individual; or

1 (2) payments described in subsection (b) shall 2 deduct and withhold from such compensation for each payroll period (as defined in Section 3401 of the 3 4 Internal Revenue Code) an amount equal to the amount by individual's which such compensation exceeds the proportionate part of this withholding exemption 6 7 (computed as provided in Section 702) attributable to the 8 payroll period for which such compensation is payable multiplied by a percentage equal to the percentage tax rate for individuals provided in subsection (b) of 10 Section 201. 11

(b) Payment to Residents.

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Any payment (including compensation) to a resident by a payor maintaining an office or transacting business within this State (including any agency, officer, or employee of this State or of any political subdivision of this State) and on which withholding of tax is required under the provisions of Internal Revenue Code shall be deemed to be the compensation paid in this State by an employer to an employee for the purposes of Article 7 and Section 601 (b) (1) to the extent such payment is included in the recipient's base income and not subjected to withholding by another state.

Special Definitions.

Withholding shall be considered required under provisions of the Internal Revenue Code to the extent the Internal Revenue Code either requires withholding or allows for voluntary withholding the payor and recipient have entered into such a voluntary withholding agreement. For the purposes of Article 7 and Section 1002 (c) the "employer" includes any payor who is required to withhold tax pursuant to this Section.

Reciprocal Exemption. (d)

The Director may enter into an agreement with the taxing 33 34 authorities of any state which imposes a tax on or measured

- 1 by income to provide that compensation paid in such state to
- 2 residents of this State shall be exempt from withholding of
- 3 such tax; in such case, any compensation paid in this State
- 4 to residents of such state shall be exempt from withholding.
- 5 All reciprocal agreements shall be subject to the
- 6 requirements of Section 2505-575 of the Department of Revenue
- 7 Law (20 ILCS 2505/2505-575).
- 8 (e) Notwithstanding subsection (a) (2) of this Section,
- 9 no withholding is required on payments for which withholding
- 10 is required under Section 3405 or 3406 of the Internal
- 11 Revenue Code of 1954.
- 12 (Source: P.A. 90-491, eff. 1-1-98; 91-239, eff. 1-1-00.)
- 13 (35 ILCS 5/905) (from Ch. 120, par. 9-905)
- 14 Sec. 905. Limitations on Notices of Deficiency.
- 15 (a) In general. Except as otherwise provided in this
- 16 Act:
- 17 (1) A notice of deficiency shall be issued not
- later than 3 years after the date the return was filed,
- 19 and
- 20 (2) No deficiency shall be assessed or collected
- 21 with respect to the year for which the return was filed
- unless such notice is issued within such period.
- 23 (b) Omission of more than 25% of income. If the taxpayer
- 24 omits from base income an amount properly includible therein
- 25 which is in excess of 25% of the amount of base income stated
- in the return, a notice of deficiency may be issued not later
- 27 than 6 years after the return was filed. For purposes of this
- 28 paragraph, there shall not be taken into account any amount
- 29 which is omitted in the return if such amount is disclosed in
- 30 the return, or in a statement attached to the return, in a
- 31 manner adequate to apprise the Department of the nature and
- 32 the amount of such item.
- 33 (c) No return or fraudulent return. If no return is

filed or a false and fraudulent return is filed with intent to evade the tax imposed by this Act, a notice of deficiency may be issued at any time.

4 Failure to report federal change. If a taxpayer 5 fails to notify the Department in any case where notification is required by Section 304(c) or 506(b), or fails to report a 6 7 change or correction which is treated in the same manner as 8 it were a deficiency for federal income tax purposes, a notice of deficiency may be issued (i) at any time or (ii) on 9 or after August 13, 1999 the--effective--date--of---this 10 11 amendatory--Act-of-the-91st-General-Assembly, at any time for 12 the taxable year for which the notification is required or 13 for any taxable year to which the taxpayer may carry an Article 2 credit, or a Section 207 loss, earned, incurred, or 14 15 used in the year for which the notification is required; 16 provided, however, that the amount of any proposed assessment set forth in the notice shall be limited to the amount of any 17 deficiency resulting under this Act from the recomputation of 18 19 the taxpayer's net income, Article 2 credits, or Section 207 20 loss earned, incurred, or used in the taxable year for which 21 the notification is required after giving effect to the item 22 or items required to be reported.

(e) Report of federal change.

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this--amendatory-Act-of-the-91st-General-Assembly, in any case where notification of an alteration is given as required by Section 506(b), a notice of deficiency may be issued at any time within 2 years after the date such notification is given, provided, however, that the amount of any proposed assessment set forth in such notice shall be limited to the amount of any deficiency resulting under this Act from recomputation of the taxpayer's net income, net loss, or Article 2 credits for the taxable year after giving effect to the item or items reflected

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- (2) On and after August 13, 1999 the-effective-date of-this-amendatory-Act-of-the-91st-General--Assembly, in any case where notification of an alteration is given as required by Section 506(b), a notice of deficiency may be issued at any time within 2 years after the date such notification is given for the taxable year for which the notification is given or for any taxable year to which the taxpayer may carry an Article 2 credit, or a Section 207 loss, earned, incurred, or used in the year for which the notification is given, provided, however, that the amount of any proposed assessment set forth in such notice shall be limited to the amount of any deficiency resulting under this Act from recomputation of taxpayer's net income, Article 2 credits, or Section 207 loss earned, incurred, or used in the taxable year for which the notification is given after giving effect to the item or items reflected in the reported alteration.
- Extension by agreement. Where, before the expiration 19 of the time prescribed in this section for the issuance of a 20 21 notice of deficiency, both the Department and the taxpayer 22 shall have consented in writing to its issuance after such 23 time, such notice may be issued at any time prior to the expiration of the period agreed upon. In the case of a 24 25 taxpayer who is a partnership, Subchapter S corporation, or trust and who enters into an agreement with the Department 26 27 pursuant to this subsection on or after January 1, 2003, a notice of deficiency may be issued to the partners, 28 shareholders, or beneficiaries of the taxpayer at any time 29 prior to the expiration of the period agreed upon. Any 30 31 proposed assessment set forth in the notice, however, shall be limited to the amount of any deficiency resulting under 32 this Act from recomputation of items of income, deduction, 33 34 credits, or other amounts of the taxpayer that are taken into

- 1 account by the partner, shareholder, or beneficiary in
- 2 <u>computing its liability under this Act.</u> The period so agreed
- 3 upon may be extended by subsequent agreements in writing made
- 4 before the expiration of the period previously agreed upon.
- 5 (g) Erroneous refunds. In any case in which there has
- 6 been an erroneous refund of tax payable under this Act, a
- 7 notice of deficiency may be issued at any time within 2 years
- 8 from the making of such refund, or within 5 years from the
- 9 making of such refund if it appears that any part of the
- 10 refund was induced by fraud or the misrepresentation of a
- 11 material fact, provided, however, that the amount of any
- 12 proposed assessment set forth in such notice shall be limited
- 13 to the amount of such erroneous refund.
- 14 Beginning July 1, 1993, in any case in which there has
- 15 been a refund of tax payable under this Act attributable to a
- 16 net loss carryback as provided for in Section 207, and that
- 17 refund is subsequently determined to be an erroneous refund
- due to a reduction in the amount of the net loss which was
- 19 originally carried back, a notice of deficiency for the
- 20 erroneous refund amount may be issued at any time during the
- 21 same time period in which a notice of deficiency can be
- issued on the loss year creating the carryback amount and
- 23 subsequent erroneous refund. The amount of any proposed
- 24 assessment set forth in the notice shall be limited to the
- 25 amount of such erroneous refund.
- 26 (h) Time return deemed filed. For purposes of this
- 27 Section a tax return filed before the last day prescribed by
- law (including any extension thereof) shall be deemed to have
- 29 been filed on such last day.
- 30 (i) Request for prompt determination of liability. For
- 31 purposes of Subsection (a)(1), in the case of a tax return
- 32 required under this Act in respect of a decedent, or by his
- 33 estate during the period of administration, or by
- 34 corporation, the period referred to in such Subsection shall

- 1 be 18 months after a written request for prompt determination
- of liability is filed with the Department (at such time and
- 3 in such form and manner as the Department shall by
- 4 regulations prescribe) by the executor, administrator, or
- 5 other fiduciary representing the estate of such decedent, or
- 6 by such corporation, but not more than 3 years after the date
- 7 the return was filed. This Subsection shall not apply in the
- 8 case of a corporation unless:
- 9 (1) (A) Such written request notifies the
- 10 Department that the corporation contemplates dissolution
- at or before the expiration of such 18-month period, (B)
- 12 the dissolution is begun in good faith before the
- expiration of such 18-month period, and (C) the
- 14 dissolution is completed;
- 15 (2) (A) Such written request notifies the
- 16 Department that a dissolution has in good faith been
- begun, and (B) the dissolution is completed; or
- 18 (3) A dissolution has been completed at the time
- such written request is made.
- 20 (j) Withholding tax. In the case of returns required
- 21 under Article 7 of this Act (with respect to any amounts
- 22 withheld as tax or any amounts required to have been withheld
- as tax) a notice of deficiency shall be issued not later than
- 3 years after the 15th day of the 4th month following the
- 25 close of the calendar year in which such withholding was
- 26 required.
- 27 (k) Penalties for failure to make information reports.
- 28 A notice of deficiency for the penalties provided by
- 29 Subsection 1405.1(c) of this Act may not be issued more than
- 30 3 years after the due date of the reports with respect to
- 31 which the penalties are asserted.
- 32 (1) Penalty for failure to file withholding returns. A
- 33 notice of deficiency for penalties provided by Section 1004
- 34 of this Act for taxpayer's failure to file withholding

- 1 returns may not be issued more than three years after the
- 2 15th day of the 4th month following the close of the calendar
- year in which the withholding giving rise to taxpayer's 3
- 4 obligation to file those returns occurred.

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- (m) Transferee liability. A notice of deficiency may be 5 6 issued to a transferee relative to a liability asserted under
- 7 Section 1405 during time periods defined as follows:
 - Initial Transferee. In the case of the an initial transferee, up to 2 years after liability of the expiration of the period of limitation for assessment against the transferor, except that if a court proceeding for review of the assessment against the transferor has begun, then up to 2 years after the return of the certified copy of the judgment in the court proceeding.
 - 2) Transferee of Transferee. In the case of the liability of a transferee, up to 2 years after the expiration of the period of limitation for assessment against the preceding transferee, but not more than 3 years after the expiration of the period of limitation for assessment against the initial transferor; except that if, before the expiration of the period of limitation for the assessment of the liability of the transferee, a court proceeding for the collection of the tax or liability in respect thereof has been begun against the initial transferor or the last preceding transferee, as the case may be, then the period of limitation for assessment of the liability of transferee shall expire 2 years after the return of the certified copy of the judgment in the court proceeding.
- (n) Notice of decrease in net loss. On and after the 31 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 92nd General Assembly, no notice of deficiency shall be issued as the 32 33 result of a decrease determined by the Department in the net loss incurred by a taxpayer under Section 207 of this Act 34

- 1 <u>unless the Department has notified the taxpayer of the</u>
- 2 proposed decrease within 3 years after the return reporting
- 3 the loss was filed or within one year after an amended return
- 4 reporting an increase in the loss was filed, provided that in
- 5 the case of an amended return, a decrease proposed by the
- 6 Department more than 3 years after the original return was
- 7 <u>filed may not exceed the increase claimed by the taxpayer on</u>
- 8 <u>the original return.</u>
- 9 (Source: P.A. 90-491, eff. 1-1-98; 91-541, eff. 8-13-99.)
- 10 (35 ILCS 5/911) (from Ch. 120, par. 9-911)
- 11 Sec. 911. Limitations on Claims for Refund.
- 12 (a) In general. Except as otherwise provided in this
- 13 Act:
- 14 (1) A claim for refund shall be filed not later
- than 3 years after the date the return was filed (in the
- 16 case of returns required under Article 7 of this Act
- 17 respecting any amounts withheld as tax, not later than 3
- 18 years after the 15th day of the 4th month following the
- 19 close of the calendar year in which such withholding was
- 20 made), or one year after the date the tax was paid,
- 21 whichever is the later; and
- 22 (2) No credit or refund shall be allowed or made
- 23 with respect to the year for which the claim was filed
- unless such claim is filed within such period.
- 25 (b) Federal changes.
- 26 (1) In general. In any case where notification of
- an alteration is required by Section 506 (b), a claim for
- 28 refund may be filed within 2 years after the date on
- which such notification was due (regardless of whether
- 30 such notice was given), but the amount recoverable
- 31 pursuant to a claim filed under this Section shall be
- 32 limited to the amount of any overpayment resulting under
- this Act from recomputation of the taxpayer's net income,

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net loss, or Article 2 credits for the taxable year after giving effect to the item or items reflected in the alteration required to be reported.

- (2) Tentative carryback adjustments paid before January 1, 1974. If, as the result of the payment before 1, 1974 of a federal tentative carryback adjustment, a notification of an alteration is required under Section 506 (b), a claim for refund may be filed at before January 1, 1976, but the amount any recoverable pursuant to a claim filed under this Section shall be limited to the amount of any overpayment resulting under this Act from recomputation of the taxpayer's base income for the taxable year after giving effect to the federal alteration resulting from the tentative carryback adjustment irrespective of limitation imposed in paragraph (1) of this subsection.
- 17 (c) Extension by agreement. Where, before expiration of the time prescribed in this section for 18 the filing of a claim for refund, both the Department and the 19 claimant shall have consented in writing to its filing after 20 21 such time, such claim may be filed at any time prior to the 22 expiration of the period agreed upon. The period so agreed 23 upon may be extended by subsequent agreements in writing made before the expiration of the period previously agreed upon. 24 25 In the case of a taxpayer who is a partnership, Subchapter S corporation, or trust and who enters into an agreement with 26 the Department pursuant to this subsection on or after 27 January 1, 2003, a claim for refund may be issued to the 28 29 partners, shareholders, or beneficiaries of the taxpayer at 30 any time prior to the expiration of the period agreed upon. 31 Any refund allowed pursuant to the claim, however, shall be limited to the amount of any overpayment of tax due under 32 this Act that results from recomputation of items of income, 33 34 <u>deduction</u>, <u>credits</u>, <u>or other amounts of the taxpayer that are</u>

- 1 taken into account by the partner, shareholder, or
 2 beneficiary in computing its liability under this Act.
 - (d) Limit on amount of credit or refund.

- (1) Limit where claim filed within 3-year period. If the claim was filed by the claimant during the 3-year period prescribed in subsection (a), the amount of the credit or refund shall not exceed the portion of the tax paid within the period, immediately preceding the filing of the claim, equal to 3 years plus the period of any extension of time for filing the return.
 - (2) Limit where claim not filed within 3-year period. If the claim was not filed within such 3-year period, the amount of the credit or refund shall not exceed the portion of the tax paid during the one year immediately preceding the filing of the claim.
- (e) Time return deemed filed. For purposes of this section a tax return filed before the last day prescribed by law for the filing of such return (including any extensions thereof) shall be deemed to have been filed on such last day.
- (f) No claim for refund based on the taxpayer's taking a credit for estimated tax payments as provided by Section 601 (b) (2) or for any amount paid by a taxpayer pursuant to Section 602(a) or for any amount of credit for tax withheld pursuant to Section 701 may be filed more than 3 years after the due date, as provided by Section 505, of the return which was required to be filed relative to the taxable year for which the payments were made or for which the tax was withheld. The changes in this subsection (f) made by this amendatory Act of 1987 shall apply to all taxable years ending on or after December 31, 1969.
- 31 (g) Special Period of Limitation with Respect to Net 32 Loss Carrybacks. If the claim for refund relates to an 33 overpayment attributable to a net loss carryback as provided 34 by Section 207, in lieu of the 3 year period of limitation

1 prescribed in subsection (a), the period shall be that period 2 which ends 3 years after the time prescribed by law for filing the return (including extensions thereof) for the 3 4 taxable year of the net loss which results in such carryback (or, on and after August 13, 1999 the-effective-date-of-this 5 amendatory-Act-of-the-91st-General-Assembly, with respect to 6 7 a change in the carryover of an Article 2 credit to a taxable 8 year resulting from the carryback of a Section 207 loss incurred in a taxable year beginning on or after January 1, 9 2000, the period shall be that period that ends 3 years after 10 11 the time prescribed by law for filing the return (including 12 extensions of that time) for that subsequent taxable year), or the period prescribed in subsection (c) in respect of such 13 taxable year, whichever expires later. In the case of such a 14 15 claim, the amount of the refund may exceed the portion of the 16 tax paid within the period provided in subsection (d) to the extent of the amount of the overpayment attributable to such 17 carryback. On and after August 13, 1999 the-effective-date-of 18 19 this--amendatory--Act--of--the--91st-General-Assembly, if the 20 claim for refund relates to an overpayment attributable to 21 the carryover of an Article 2 credit, or of a Section 207 22 loss, earned, incurred (in a taxable year beginning on or after January 1, 2000), or used in a year for which a 23 notification of a change affecting federal taxable income 24 25 must be filed under subsection (b) of Section 506, the claim may be filed within the period prescribed in paragraph (1) of 26 27 subsection (b) in respect of the year for which notification is required. In the case of such a claim, the 28 29 amount of the refund may exceed the portion of the tax paid 30 within the period provided in subsection (d) to the extent of 31 the amount of the overpayment attributable to the recomputation of the taxpayer's Article 2 credits, or Section 32 207 loss, earned, incurred, or used in the taxable year for 33 34 which the notification is given.

- 1 (h) Claim for refund based on net loss. On and after
- 2 the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 92nd General
- Assembly, no claim for refund shall be allowed to the extent 3
- 4 the refund is the result of an amount of net loss incurred
- under Section 207 of this Act that was not reported to the 5
- Department within 3 years of the due date (including 6
- 7 extensions) of the return for the loss year on either the
- 8 original return filed by the taxpayer or on amended return.
- 9 (Source: P.A. 90-491, eff. 1-1-98; 91-541, eff. 8-13-99.)
- (35 ILCS 5/1501) (from Ch. 120, par. 15-1501) 10
- Sec. 1501. Definitions. 11

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- In general. When used in this Act, where not 12 otherwise distinctly expressed or manifestly incompatible 13 with the intent thereof: 14
- (1) Business income. The term "business income" means income arising from transactions and activity in 16 the regular course of the taxpayer's trade or business, 17 net of the deductions allocable thereto, and includes income from tangible and intangible property if the 20 acquisition, management, and disposition of the property constitute integral parts of the taxpayer's regular trade 22 or business operations. Such term does not include compensation or the deductions allocable thereto. For each taxable year beginning on or after January 1, 2003, a taxpayer may elect to treat all income other than compensation as business income. This election shall be 26 made in accordance with rules adopted by the Department and, once made, shall be irrevocable.
 - (2) Commercial domicile. The term "commercial domicile" means the principal place from which the trade or business of the taxpayer is directed or managed.
 - (3) Compensation. The term "compensation" means wages, salaries, commissions and any other form of

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remuneration paid to employees for personal services.

- (4) Corporation. The term "corporation" includes associations, joint-stock companies, insurance companies and cooperatives. Any entity, including a limited liability company formed under the Illinois Limited Liability Company Act, shall be treated as a corporation if it is so classified for federal income tax purposes.
- (5) Department. The term "Department" means the Department of Revenue of this State.
- (6) Director. The term "Director" means the Director of Revenue of this State.
- (7) Fiduciary. The term "fiduciary" means a guardian, trustee, executor, administrator, receiver, or any person acting in any fiduciary capacity for any person.
 - (8) Financial organization.
 - (A) The term "financial organization" means any bank, bank holding company, trust company, savings bank, industrial bank, land bank, safe deposit company, private banker, savings and loan association, building and loan association, credit union, currency exchange, cooperative bank, small loan company, sales finance company, investment company, or any person which is owned by a bank or bank holding company. For the purpose of this Section a "person" will include only those persons which a bank holding company may acquire and hold an interest in, directly or indirectly, under the provisions of the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956 (12 U.S.C. 1841, et seq.), except where interests in any person must be disposed of within certain required time limits under the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956.
 - (B) For purposes of subparagraph (A) of this

1	paragraph, the term "bank" includes (i) any entity
2	that is regulated by the Comptroller of the Currency
3	under the National Bank Act, or by the Federal
4	Reserve Board, or by the Federal Deposit Insurance
5	Corporation and (ii) any federally or State
6	chartered bank operating as a credit card bank.
7	(C) For purposes of subparagraph (A) of this
8	paragraph, the term "sales finance company" has the
9	meaning provided in the following item (i) or (ii):
10	(i) A person primarily engaged in one or
11	more of the following businesses: the business
12	of purchasing customer receivables, the
13	business of making loans upon the security of
14	customer receivables, the business of making
15	loans for the express purpose of funding
16	purchases of tangible personal property or
17	services by the borrower, or the business of
18	finance leasing. For purposes of this item
19	(i), "customer receivable" means:
20	(a) a retail installment contract or
21	retail charge agreement within the meaning of
22	the Sales Finance Agency Act, the Retail
23	Installment Sales Act, or the Motor Vehicle
24	Retail Installment Sales Act;
25	(b) an installment, charge, credit, or
26	similar contract or agreement arising from the
27	sale of tangible personal property or services
28	in a transaction involving a deferred payment
29	price payable in one or more installments
30	subsequent to the sale; or
31	(c) the outstanding balance of a contract
32	or agreement described in provisions (a) or (b)
33	of this item (i).
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payment of interest on deferred payments. A sales finance company may purchase a customer receivable from, or make a loan secured by a customer receivable to, the seller in the original transaction or to a person who purchased the customer receivable directly or indirectly from that seller.

- (ii) A corporation meeting each of the
 following criteria:
- (a) the corporation must be a member of an "affiliated group" within the meaning of Section 1504(a) of the Internal Revenue Code, determined without regard to Section 1504(b) of the Internal Revenue Code;
- (b) more than 50% of the gross income of the corporation for the taxable year must be interest income derived from qualifying loans. A "qualifying loan" is a loan made to a member of the corporation's affiliated group that originates customer receivables (within the meaning of item (i)) or to whom customer receivables originated by a member of the affiliated group have been transferred, to extent the average outstanding balance of loans that corporation to members of its affiliated group during the taxable year do not limitation for that exceed the amount corporation. The "limitation amount" for a corporation is the average outstanding balances during the taxable year of customer receivables (within the meaning of item (i)) originated by all members of the affiliated group. If the average outstanding balances of the loans made by a corporation to members of its affiliated

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- (c) the total of all shareholder's equity (including, without limitation, paid-in capital on common and preferred stock and retained earnings) of the corporation plus the total of all of its loans, advances, and other obligations payable or owed to members of its affiliated group may not exceed 20% of the total assets of the corporation at any time during the tax year; and
- (d) more than 50% of all interest-bearing obligations of the affiliated group payable to persons outside the group determined in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles must be obligations of the corporation.

This amendatory Act of the 91st General Assembly is declaratory of existing law.

(D) Subparagraphs (B) and (C) of this paragraph are declaratory of existing law and apply retroactively, for all tax years beginning on or before December 31, 1996, to all original returns, to all amended returns filed no later than 30 days after the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1996, and to all notices issued on or before the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1996 under subsection (a) of Section 903, subsection (a) of

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Section 904, subsection (e) of Section 909, or Section 912. A taxpayer that is a "financial organization" that engages in any transaction with an affiliate shall be a "financial organization" for all purposes of this Act.

(E) For all tax years beginning on or before December 31, 1996, a taxpayer that falls within the definition of a "financial organization" subparagraphs (B) or (C) of this paragraph, but who does not fall within the definition of a "financial organization" under the Proposed Regulations issued by the Department of Revenue on July 19, 1996, may irrevocably elect to apply the Proposed Regulations for all of those years as though the Proposed Regulations had been lawfully promulgated, adopted, and in effect for all of those years. For purposes applying subparagraphs (B) or (C) of this paragraph to all of those years, the election allowed by this subparagraph applies only to the taxpayer making the election and to those members of the taxpayer's unitary business group who are ordinarily required to apportion business income under the same subsection of Section 304 of this Act as the taxpayer making the election. No election allowed by this subparagraph shall be made under a claim filed under subsection (d) of Section 909 more than 30 days after the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1996.

(F) Finance Leases. For purposes of this subsection, a finance lease shall be treated as a loan or other extension of credit, rather than as a lease, regardless of how the transaction is characterized for any other purpose, including the purposes of any regulatory agency to which the

1	lessor is subject. A finance lease is any
2	transaction in the form of a lease in which the
3	lessee is treated as the owner of the leased asset
4	entitled to any deduction for depreciation allowed
5	under Section 167 of the Internal Revenue Code.
6	(9) Fiscal year. The term "fiscal year" means an
7	accounting period of 12 months ending on the last day of
8	any month other than December.
9	(10) Includes and including. The terms "includes"
10	and "including" when used in a definition contained in
11	this Act shall not be deemed to exclude other things
12	otherwise within the meaning of the term defined.
13	(11) Internal Revenue Code. The term "Internal
14	Revenue Code" means the United States Internal Revenue
15	Code of 1954 or any successor law or laws relating to
16	federal income taxes in effect for the taxable year.
17	(12) Mathematical error. The term "mathematical
18	error" includes the following types of errors, omissions,
19	or defects in a return filed by a taxpayer which prevents
20	acceptance of the return as filed for processing:
21	(A) arithmetic errors or incorrect
22	computations on the return or supporting schedules;
23	(B) entries on the wrong lines;
24	(C) omission of required supporting forms or
25	schedules or the omission of the information in
26	whole or in part called for thereon; and
27	(D) an attempt to claim, exclude, deduct, or
28	improperly report, in a manner directly contrary to
29	the provisions of the Act and regulations thereunder
30	any item of income, exemption, deduction, or credit.
31	(13) Nonbusiness income. The term "nonbusiness
32	income" means all income other than business income or
33	compensation.

(14) Nonresident. The term "nonresident" means a

1 person who is not a resident.

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- (15) Paid, incurred and accrued. The terms "paid", "incurred" and "accrued" shall be construed according to the method of accounting upon the basis of which the person's base income is computed under this Act.
- (16) Partnership and partner. The term "partnership" includes a syndicate, group, pool, joint venture or other unincorporated organization, through or by means of which any business, financial operation, or venture is carried on, and which is not, within the meaning of this Act, a trust or estate or a corporation; and the term "partner" includes a member in such syndicate, group, pool, joint venture or organization.

The term "partnership" includes any entity, including a limited liability company formed under the Illinois Limited Liability Company Act, classified as a partnership for federal income tax purposes.

The term "partnership" does not include a syndicate, group, pool, joint venture, or other unincorporated organization established for the sole purpose of playing the Illinois State Lottery.

- resident" means an individual who became a resident during the taxable year or ceased to be a resident during the taxable year. Under Section 1501 (a) (20) (A) (i) residence commences with presence in this State for other than a temporary or transitory purpose and ceases with absence from this State for other than a temporary or transitory purpose. Under Section 1501 (a) (20) (A) (ii) residence commences with the establishment of domicile in this State and ceases with the establishment of domicile in another State.
- (18) Person. The term "person" shall be construed to mean and include an individual, a trust, estate,

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partnership,	association,	firm,	company,	corporation,
limited liabi	lity company,	or fidu	ciary. For	purposes of
Section 1301	and 1302 of	this Ac	t, a "pers	on" means (i)
an individual	, (ii) a com	rporatio	n, (iii)	an officer,
agent, or emp	loyee of a com	rporatio	n, (iv) a	member, agent
or employee	of a partners	ship, or	(v) a mem	ber, manager,
employee, of:	ficer, direct	tor, or	agent o	f a limited
liability comp	pany who in su	ıch capa	city commi	ts an offense
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- (18A) Records. The term "records" includes all data maintained by the taxpayer, whether on paper, microfilm, microfiche, or any type of machine-sensible data compilation.
- (19) Regulations. The term "regulations" includes rules promulgated and forms prescribed by the Department.
 - (20) Resident. The term "resident" means:
 - (A) an individual (i) who is in this State for other than a temporary or transitory purpose during the taxable year; or (ii) who is domiciled in this State but is absent from the State for a temporary or transitory purpose during the taxable year;
 - (B) The estate of a decedent who at his or her death was domiciled in this State;
 - (C) A trust created by a will of a decedent who at his death was domiciled in this State; and
 - (D) An irrevocable trust, the grantor of which was domiciled in this State at the time such trust became irrevocable. For purpose of this subparagraph, a trust shall be considered irrevocable to the extent that the grantor is not treated as the owner thereof under Sections 671 through 678 of the Internal Revenue Code.
- (21) Sales. The term "sales" means all gross receipts of the taxpayer not allocated under Sections

1 301, 302 and 303.

- jurisdiction other than this State means any state of the United States, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, any Territory or Possession of the United States, and any foreign country, or any political subdivision of any of the foregoing. For purposes of the foreign tax credit under Section 601, the term "state" means any state of the United States, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, and any territory or possession of the United States, or any political subdivision of any of the foregoing, effective for tax years ending on or after December 31, 1989.
- (23) Taxable year. The term "taxable year" means the calendar year, or the fiscal year ending during such calendar year, upon the basis of which the base income is computed under this Act. "Taxable year" means, in the case of a return made for a fractional part of a year under the provisions of this Act, the period for which such return is made.
- (24) Taxpayer. The term "taxpayer" means any person subject to the tax imposed by this Act.
- (25) International banking facility. The term international banking facility shall have the same meaning as is set forth in the Illinois Banking Act or as is set forth in the laws of the United States or regulations of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.
 - (26) Income Tax Return Preparer.
 - (A) The term "income tax return preparer" means any person who prepares for compensation, or who employs one or more persons to prepare for compensation, any return of tax imposed by this Act or any claim for refund of tax imposed by this Act.

Τ	The preparation of a substantial portion of a return
2	or claim for refund shall be treated as the
3	preparation of that return or claim for refund.
4	(B) A person is not an income tax return
5	preparer if all he or she does is
6	(i) furnish typing, reproducing, or other
7	mechanical assistance;
8	(ii) prepare returns or claims for
9	refunds for the employer by whom he or she is
10	regularly and continuously employed;
11	(iii) prepare as a fiduciary returns or
12	claims for refunds for any person; or
13	(iv) prepare claims for refunds for a
14	taxpayer in response to any notice of
15	deficiency issued to that taxpayer or ir
16	response to any waiver of restriction after the
17	commencement of an audit of that taxpayer or of
18	another taxpayer if a determination in the
19	audit of the other taxpayer directly or
20	indirectly affects the tax liability of the
21	taxpayer whose claims he or she is preparing.
22	(27) Unitary business group. The term "unitary
23	business group" means a group of persons related through
24	common ownership whose business activities are integrated
25	with, dependent upon and contribute to each other. The
26	group will not include those members whose business
27	activity outside the United States is 80% or more of any
28	such member's total business activity; for purposes of
29	this paragraph and clause (a) (3) (B) (ii) of Section
30	304, business activity within the United States shall be
31	measured by means of the factors ordinarily applicable
32	under subsections (a), (b), (c), (d), or (h) of Section

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factor formula of property, payroll and sales specified in subsection (a) of Section 304, including the formula as weighted in subsection (h) of Section 304, such members shall not use the sales factor in the computation and the results of the property and payroll factor computations of subsection (a) of Section 304 shall be divided by 2 (by one if either the property or payroll factor has a denominator of zero). The computation required by the preceding sentence shall, in each case, involve the division of the member's property, payroll, or revenue miles in the United States, insurance premiums on property or risk in the United States, or financial organization business income from sources within the United States, as the case may be, by the respective worldwide figures for such items. Common ownership in the case of corporations is the direct or indirect control or ownership of more than 50% of the outstanding voting stock of the persons carrying on unitary business activity. Unitary business activity can ordinarily be illustrated where the activities of the members are: (1) in the same general line (such as manufacturing, wholesaling, retailing of tangible personal property, insurance, transportation or finance); or (2) are steps in a vertically structured enterprise or process (such as steps involved in the production of natural the resources, which might include exploration, mining, refining, and marketing); and, in either instance, the members are functionally integrated through the exercise of strong centralized management (where, for example, authority over such matters as purchasing, financing, tax compliance, product line, personnel, marketing and capital investment is not left to each member). In no event, however, will any unitary business group include members which are ordinarily required to apportion

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business income under different subsections of Section 304 except that for tax years ending on or after December 31, 1987 this prohibition shall not apply to a unitary business group composed of one or more taxpayers all of which apportion business income pursuant to subsection (b) of Section 304, or all of which apportion business income pursuant to subsection (d) of Section 304, and a holding company of such single-factor taxpayers (see definition of "financial organization" for rule regarding holding companies of financial organizations). unitary business group would, but for the preceding sentence, include members that are ordinarily required to apportion business income under different subsections of Section 304, then for each subsection of Section 304 for which there are two or more members, there shall be a separate unitary business group composed of such members. For purposes of the preceding two sentences, a member is "ordinarily required to apportion business income" under a particular subsection of Section 304 if it would be required to use the apportionment method prescribed by such subsection except for the fact that it derives business income solely from Illinois. If the unitary business group members' accounting periods differ, common parent's accounting period or, if there is no common parent, the accounting period of the member that is expected to have, on a recurring basis, the greatest Illinois income tax liability must be used to determine whether to use the apportionment method provided in subsection (a) or subsection (h) of Section 304. The prohibition against membership in a unitary business group for taxpayers ordinarily required to apportion income under different subsections of Section 304 does not apply to taxpayers required to apportion income under subsection (a) and subsection (h) of Section 304. The

provisions of this amendatory Act of 1998 apply to tax years ending on or after December 31, 1998.

- "Subchapter S corporation. The term "Subchapter S corporation" means a corporation for which there is in effect an election under Section 1362 of the Internal Revenue Code, or for which there is a federal election to opt out of the provisions of the Subchapter S Revision Act of 1982 and have applied instead the prior federal Subchapter S rules as in effect on July 1, 1982.
- (b) Other definitions.

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- (1) Words denoting number, gender, and so forth, when used in this Act, where not otherwise distinctly expressed or manifestly incompatible with the intent thereof:
 - (A) Words importing the singular include and apply to several persons, parties or things;
 - (B) Words importing the plural include the singular; and
 - (C) Words importing the masculine gender include the feminine as well.
 - (2) "Company" or "association" as including successors and assigns. The word "company" or "association", when used in reference to a corporation, shall be deemed to embrace the words "successors and assigns of such company or association", and in like manner as if these last-named words, or words of similar import, were expressed.
- (3) Other terms. Any term used in any Section of this Act with respect to the application of, or in connection with, the provisions of any other Section of this Act shall have the same meaning as in such other Section.
- 33 (Source: P.A. 90-613, eff. 7-9-98; 91-535, eff. 1-1-00;
- 34 91-913, eff. 1-1-01.)

- 1 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
- 2 becoming law.

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